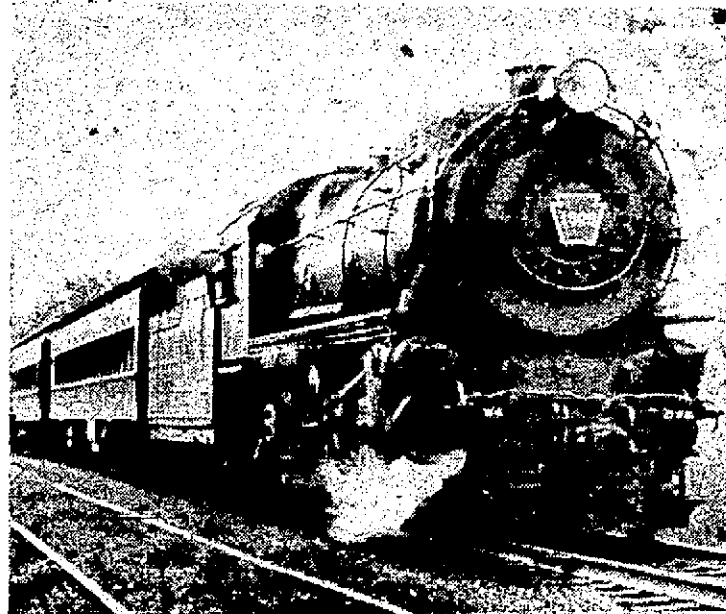


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75 Mercury 51 Antics

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES

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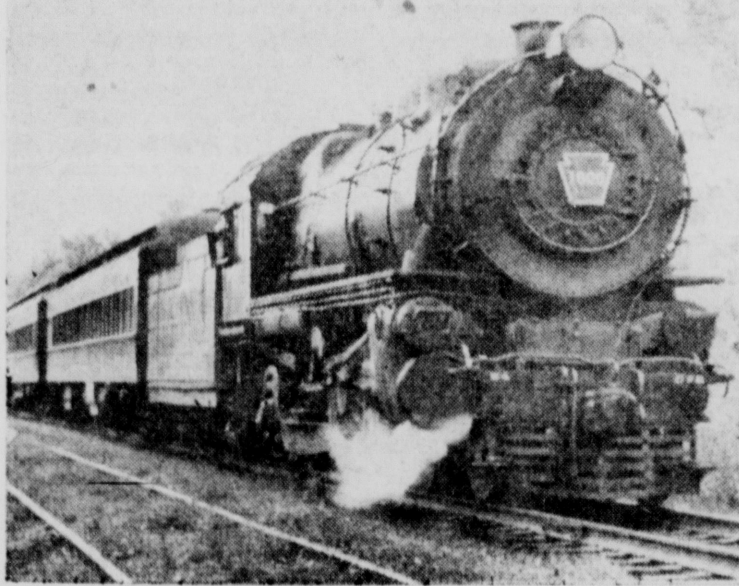
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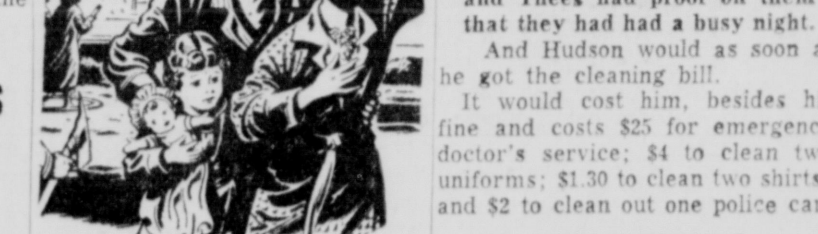
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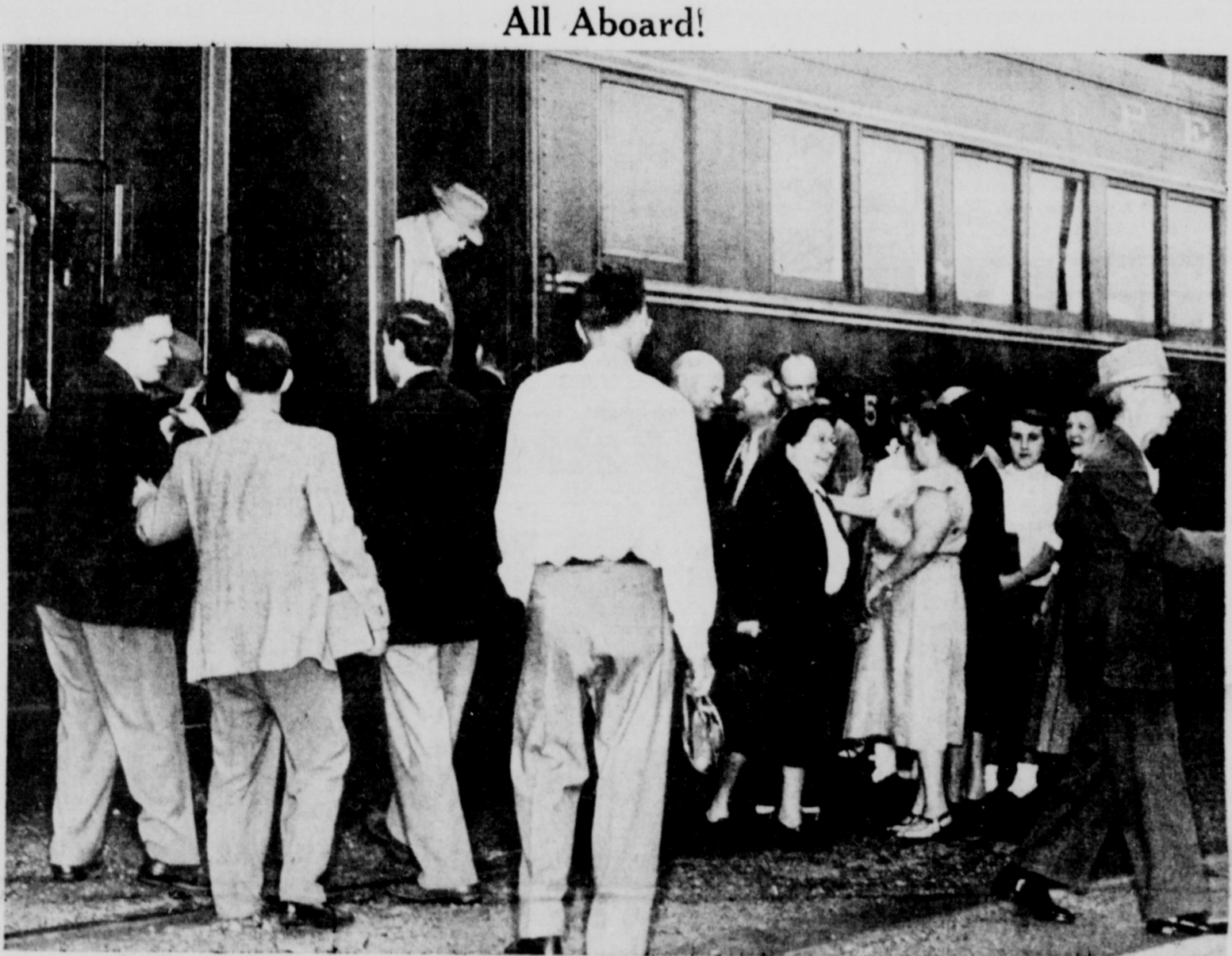
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"The arrow had penetrated her side," Dr. Pratt said, "and also the stomach. I removed it and should come along all right."

The head of the arrow—a hunting variety—was made of steel and was flattened, measuring about an inch at its wide end.

The Hutt's reported they had seen nothing suspicious all day. The 12 cows they own were in a pasture running along the road and extending into a woods.

Game Protector Lloyd Myers, Perkiomenville, is investigating.

Board Will Learn School Opening Date

The opening date of the new West End school building should become known tonight.

Dr. George A. McCormick, schools superintendent, said last night that the board of school directors would report on a decision about the opening at tonight's 8 o'clock session.

The West End building originally was scheduled to be completed Sept. 1, but now is expected to be ready toward the latter part of this month.

Also on tap for tonight is the final report on pupil accident insurance.

It was reported the past week that 2002 pupils had been signed up by their parents for the school.

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Golfers Frolic in Sun; Cooler Weather on Way

It was perfect weather for the outdoor man this weekend, though not so good if he decided to stay indoors and watch the World Series on television.

Golf, tennis and fishing were in order as the sun was steady and warm both Saturday and yesterday.

Watch out today, however, for the weatherman says its going to be cloudy and cooler, with more of the same scheduled for tomorrow.

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TEMPERATURE EXTREMES
Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	52	4 p. m.	75
5 a. m.	51	5 p. m.	74
6 a. m.	52	6 p. m.	72
7 a. m.	54	7 p. m.	70
8 a. m.	57	8 p. m.	68
9 a. m.	60	9 p. m.	67
10 a. m.	68	10 p. m.	64
11 a. m.	72	11 p. m.	64
12 m.	74	12 p. m.	63
1 p. m.	75	1 p. m.	62
2 p. m.	75	2 a. m.	62
3 p. m.	75	3 a. m.	62

Residential Fires Increasing Rapidly

Residential fires are on the increase. In making this announcement, the National Board of Fire Underwriters urged householders to eliminate home fire hazards during Fire Prevention Week. The board cited statistics for 1952, which list 300,566 residential fires in cities of 2500 and over — 6790 more than during 1951.

In pointing out that careless use of matches and smoking materials continues to be the leading cause



Fire Prevention Week this year is being observed the week of Oct. 4 through 10. Its purpose is to direct public attention to the tremendous loss of life and property that results each year from fire, and to emphasize the safety measures which can substantially reduce these losses.

President Eisenhower, in his proclamation setting aside this one week of the year to this national effort, has pointed out that safety to life and property is the responsibility of each of us working together the year 'round in the community and in the Nation.

Of fires, the board stressed the importance of taking the following precautions:

1. Provide plenty of large ashtrays, and be sure they are used.
2. When emptying ashtrays, be sure every match and butt is cold.
3. Never toss a lighted match or cigarette into a wastebasket.
4. Before going out or going to bed, be sure no butts are burning on tables or under sofa cushions.

5. Never smoke in bed! While there are many other specific rules for home fire safety, basically fire prevention is simply a matter of keeping the three elements of fire — heat, fuel and oxygen — apart.

This means seeing that actual and potential sources of heat (flames, sparks, electric wiring and appliances, furnaces and heaters) never come in contact with combustible materials (wood, paper, flammable fabrics and liquids).

Or, if the source of heat and the combustible material are already in contact (as in the case of oil-soaked rags, which can ignite spontaneously), is means cutting off the supply of oxygen (keeping the rags in a tightly covered metal container).

The board suggests that every householder make a thorough check of his home and his habits with this basic fire prevention principle in mind.

FORMER ROYAL AIDE DIES
LONDON, Oct. 4 (AP)—Lord Templemore, 73, Conservative politician and former Royal aide, died yesterday at Bray, Ireland.

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Fire takes a shocking toll...

in property destroyed, homes devastated, futures blasted, bodies maimed, lives lost. The eerie whining of fire engine's siren grips every heart in the quick, chill terror of the question, "Could this be MY turn?"

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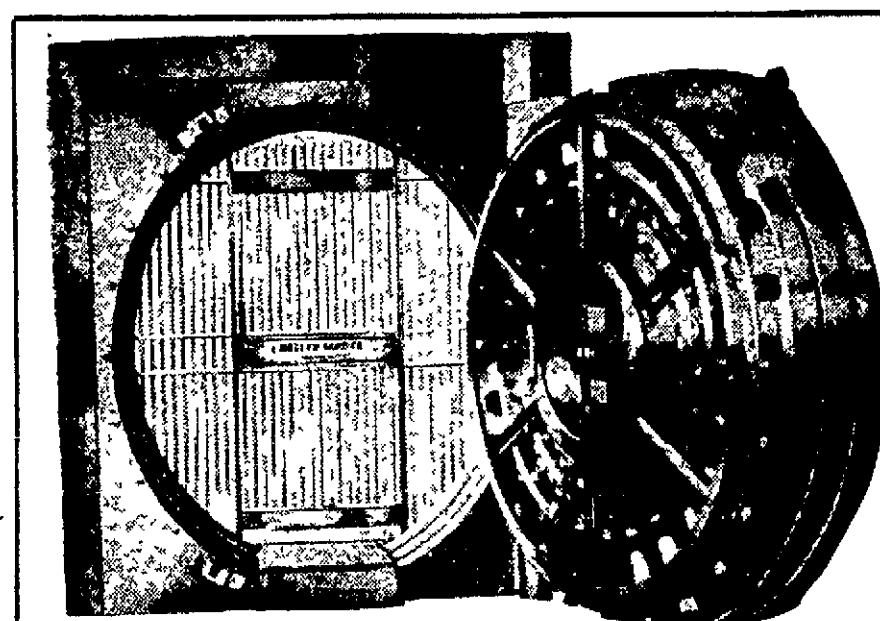
caution. Check that wiring system. Clean up that accumulation of waste material in the basement. Keep paints, oils and other combustibles in a fire-safe place. Watch that lighted match and cigarette butt. Don't smoke while working with inflammables. Don't smoke in bed... ever!

Put your family on guard against every fire hazard... not only during Fire Prevention Week (Oct. 4th to 10th) but every day and night of every week of every month. Fire prevention is a year 'round job for everyone. Its watch words are BE CAREFUL ALL WAYS!



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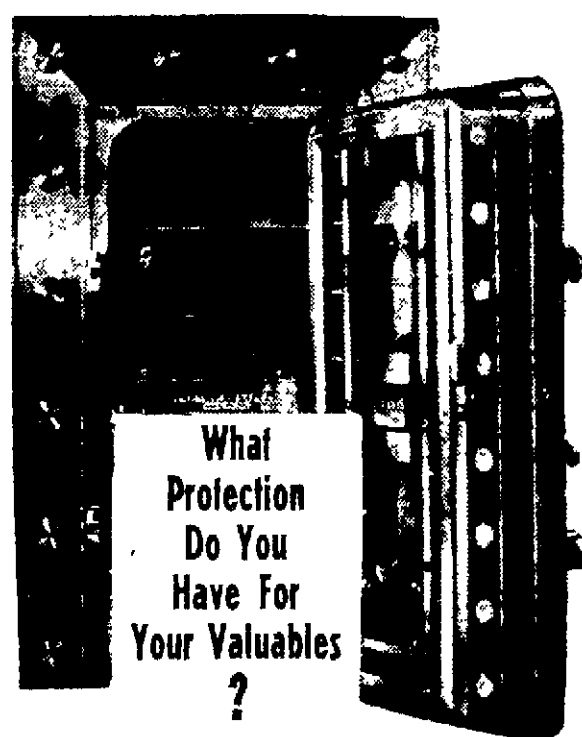
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ANTIQUE SHOW OPENS TODAY

All Kinds of Items Will Be Offered For Sale

Antique lovers, furniture lovers and people who just like to shop around have a great treat in store for them during the next three days.

The annual show of the Montgomery County Antique Dealers association opens today at Sunnybrook ballroom.

The show, second to be held this year, will open this morning at 11 o'clock and continue for the next three days.

Doors will be open Monday through Wednesday from 11 a. m. to 11 p. m., according to Silas Stahl, local antique dealer, a past president of the association.

Stahl said the show would be "as good if not better than the show held the past April" which attracted thousands of antique enthusiasts.

The pet and prize wares of more than 40 antique dealers from Pottstown and all over the county will be assembled and put on display at the show.

And every item will be for sale.

And those items will include articles large and small: from glass ware to furniture.

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proved to be the cause of thousands of fires."

Here are some questions the Firemen's association suggests you ask yourself:

1. Do I ever smoke in bed?
2. Do I ever throw lighted matches or butts out the car window when I'm driving—or into a wastebasket at home—instead of using an ashtray?
3. Do I ever put a cigaret, or cigar, or pipe down on a table or chair and forget about it.
4. Do I leave matches around where children can reach them?

If you answered "yes" to any of these questions you are not as safe as you think where fire is concerned, the association states.

FIRE APPARATUS will be on hand for the spot inspection, which will be tomorrow at 1:30 p. m. The names of stores and places of business along High street will be placed in a hat and six will be drawn by Girl scouts.

The ones selected will be inspected, and if any fire hazards are found, will be notified to have them corrected. A follow-up inspection of these will be held about a month later, Lindauer said.

The Philadelphia Steam Fire Engine company in Pottstown will have on display tomorrow an old pumper bearing this inscription: "This old pumper has done its part—will the public please do theirs."

The fire drills in the elementary schools will be held on different days, with no warning given beforehand to the school. Fire apparatus from the different local companies will be at the school for the drill, Kelly said.

"The firemen will pass out about 3000 comic books—roughly one for each child—at the drills," Kelly said.

"The books carry a message on fire prevention which the children will be able to understand," he added.

"If we can see to it that the message of this week gets across to the people, we will have started in the right direction along the road to fire prevention," Lindauer said.

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time accident coverage. The policy, approved by the school board, costs \$1.25 per child and covers the child from an hour before school until an hour after school.

Charles Rohland, chairman of the activities committee, will report on the assignment of coaches for the coming year and on their salaries, for the athletic council.

The board will open bids on a dishwasher for the Junior High school.

LOCAL NOTICES

Rummage sale on Tuesday in church basement of Evangelical United Brethren church, Walnut street, below Washington.

Rummage sale Monday morning, 8:30, Moose hall, by DAR.

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Man Sprains Neck In Two-Car Collision At Intersection Here

A man suffered a sprained neck Saturday night when the car he was driving collided with another vehicle at High street and Firestone boulevard.

The accident occurred at 6:40 p. m. One vehicle, operated by Michael A. Scalzi, Reading, was traveling east on High street.

Another car, driven by Elven Kozart, Hilldale, was traveling north on Firestone boulevard.

According to police, the cars collided because of a mixup in observing traffic signals.

The right front fender, grill and bumper of the Scalzi truck were damaged.

The Kozart car suffered damage to its left front fender.

Kozart told police he suffered a sprained neck.

Festival of Harvest Observed at Citadel

The festival of the harvest was observed at the King street citadel of the Salvation Army last night.

Guest speaker was Col. John Grace, Philadelphia, commander of the Salvation Army's Southeast Pennsylvania division. His topic was "Then Came Jesus."

Music at the service included cornet selections by Mrs. Grace and Capt. and Mrs. C. Robert Flinn, playing as a trio.

Mrs. Flinn, wife of the commander of the citadel, also offered vocal selections.

Colonel Grace spoke at morning worship of the topic "Ye Are My Witnesses."

Church Talks Slated In K of C Auditorium

A series of public talks on the Catholic faith will begin tomorrow night at the Knights of Columbus hall, 268 King street.

The Rev. George P. Hiller, assistant rector of St. Aloysius Catholic church, will give the first two talks.

The informal lectures will be given each Tuesday and Thursday night in the K of C auditorium at 8 p. m.

Other local priests will speak on succeeding weeks.

Mysterious Explosion Levels 'Dry Ice' Plant

SCRANTON, Oct. 4 (AP)—An explosion of unknown origin blew out the four walls and roof of a "dry ice" distributing plant in downtown Scranton today, but no one was injured.

The building, occupied by the Pure Carbonic company, was constructed of cinder block and timber with steel uprights. Only the uprights were left standing after the explosion, which shattered windows a half mile away and caused hundreds in the immediate vicinity to leave their television sets and check with the police department.

The blast occurred during the latter part of the World Series game and some reports said television reception of the game "was ruined."

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over the country" working to drum up new business.

"Universal joints and propeller shafts," was the business they were mainly after, he noted.

"We're after companies that are building their own now to let us build them for them. And we're after customers who are being sold to now by our competitors," he said.

The main selling points the men are using are the universal ones of "better quality at lower cost."

"We know we can give it," Gavin said.

"And now this move on the part of our employees is a tremendous step. We can go ahead with our plans to remodelize the plant and make of it one of the most efficient in the area."

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Two Cars Damaged In Route 422 Crash

Two vehicles were damaged Saturday afternoon when they collided on Route 422 about three miles east of Pottstown.

A. B. Ziegler, 52, Limerick, was driving a truck west on Route 422 and Mildred B. Lyons, 50, Reading, was driving a car east on the highway when the accident occurred.

The truck was damaged to the extent of \$100 while the car received damaged amounting to more than \$225, according to State police of Jeffersonville sub-station.

State Police Report Four-Car Sideswipe Causes \$750 Loss

Damage ran high but no one was injured Saturday night when four cars collided on Route 422 about one mile east of Pottstown near Sanatoga.

Operators of the cars were: Alice Leffel, 38, Shaner Trailer camp, Pottstown RD 4; Thomas Urban, 53, Philadelphia; Charles C. Martin, 28, Hatboro; and Carl Richard Ziegler, 25, Pottstown RD 3.

The accident happened at 7:10 p. m., according to State Police of Jeffersonville sub-station.

The Leffel car was traveling west and the other three cars were traveling east.

According to State Trooper Raymond Miller, who investigated the accident, the Leffel car sideswiped the other three cars.

Total damage amounted to more than \$750, State police said.

The Leffel car was damaged to the extent of \$150; the Urban car, \$100; the Martin car, \$400, and the Ziegler car, \$125.

Lecturer Discusses Religious Movements

The backgrounds of several Pottstown area religious groups were discussed in a lecture at Old Exeter Friends meeting house yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Elmer E. S. Johnson, Pennsburg RD, was the lecturer.

He spoke of the beginnings of the non-conformist movement in religion—a movement that produced such present denominations as the Methodists, Brethren, Schwenkfelders and Friends.

The speaker, a former professor at Hartford seminary, Hartford, Conn., lived in Germany before World War I and did research there on the non-conformist movement.

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BURGESS PLEDGES —

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come from Fire Chief Richard E. Lindauer.

Lindauer reported several fire companies will take part in the test, solely through the co-operation of the Montgomery County Fire Chiefs association. No plans have come through to him on the borough level.

350 Persons Attend Eagles Aerie Clam Bake

About 350 persons attended a clam bake of the Pottstown Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie 626 yesterday afternoon at Hickory park.

Harry Treifger was chairman of the bake. Guests watched the World Series game between the New York Yankees and the Brooklyn Dodgers on a television set brought along especially for the occasion.

"Cash For Farmers!"
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German Club Members Elect Deegan President

John Deegan was elected president of the German club yesterday by a 106 to 58 vote over Paul Stahl. In the vote for the only other contested post, Barlow Hafer defeated Howard Swede, 100 to 62 for treasurer.

The other officers were unopposed. They are Nick Pasquale, vice president, Al O'Neill, secretary, and George Marquardt, trustee.

polling took place at the club from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. yesterday.

FIRE SWEEPS WATERFRONT
VALLEJO, Calif., Oct. 4 (AP)—A sudden fire swept the waterfront of the Mare Island Navy yard this afternoon, destroying a Navy tug and a barge, a tug office, several other buildings and part of a pier.

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which is not easy to penetrate. No matter how slow it goes, though, there's a good chance the vacationing pupils won't be bored.

It's ideal weather these days for almost everything but going to school.

The only trouble with an unscheduled vacation is that you have to make up the days you don't have school.

The State requires a certain number of days of school be put in each year.

John W. Fadler Sr., school board president, said last night that the days off now would probably be made up during holiday vacations, rather than next Spring.

He agreed that the well-drilling would probably go on all this week.

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US Air Force Gives New Cabin Airplane To Civil Air Patrol

Pottstown's Civil Air Patrol squadron received a new airplane yesterday.

The unit, Squadron 906 of Pennsylvania, was given an L-16—cabin monoplane—by the US Air Force.

The presentation was made at a meeting of the group yesterday at Pottstown airport, Limerick.

The plane will be used to train

members and for use in any search missions in the area.

THIS BRINGS to a total of 19 planes, available for Civil Defense purposes in the Pottstown area. The other 18 are privately owned.

The part the local squadron will play in the State-wide Civil Defense program slated for tomorrow was also discussed.

The squadron also announced that it plans to make a breakfast flight in conjunction with the Pottstown Airplane Owners and Pilots association to Dover air base next Sunday at 10 a. m.

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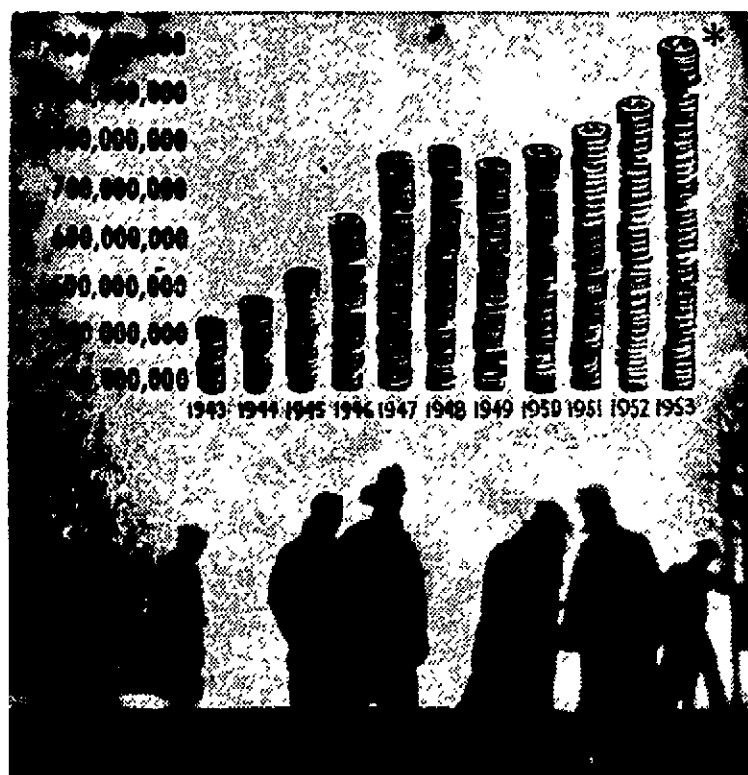
Losses Double in 10 Years More Than 70,000 Business Places Will Burn This Year, National Board of Fire Underwriters' Statistics Indicate

Americans are paying a shocking price for carelessness.

The National Fire Prevention association reports that a fire loss of slightly more than \$400,000,000 in 1943 has climbed until in 1952, just ten years later, the loss exceeded \$896,000,000, partially due to inflated values. Deaths from fires totaled 12,535 in the United States and Canada.

Based upon the fire loss in the first five months of 1953, the NFPA predicts a loss in excess of \$900,000,000 this year. This would mean a loss of approximately \$6 per capita this year, a record peace-time high for this or any other nation.

"Americans lead all others in burning up their homes, their jobs, and themselves," the NFPA asserts, and points out that at least 90 percent of the fires that take such a high annual toll in homes, on farms, and in industry can be prevented by being careful and practicing sensible living habits.



*Estimated on basis of first five months.

Fire the past year damaged or destroyed over 70,000 places of business.

This year, according to the National Board of Fire Underwriters, the toll may be even worse.

Blame for 90 percent of those fires is put on the individual—you—the person whose carelessness, the board says, caused the blazes.

Because 11 percent of all building fires the past year were in mercantile establishments, public attention has been directed by the board to their cause and prevention.

For instance, NBFU points out that accumulations of waste materials present an easily recognized fire hazard and should be corrected at once.

In addition, it urges an immediate check on the kind and location of receptacles for ashes, the method of storing and handling waste paper, rags, empty packing cases and excelsior.

RAGS CONTAINING paint or vegetable oils are especially hazardous because of the danger of spontaneous heating and ignition.

Chimneys should be regularly examined for defects which might cause fires, the most obvious of which are cracks and stovepipe openings which are not properly closed.

Such defects may allow gases to escape into the building and may cause the ignition of combustible materials.

Other fire hazards are related to heating equipment and appliances, smoke pipes, gas appliance vents, range hoods, warm air ducts and registers, and steam and hot water pipes. These should be examined for proper clearances from combustible materials.

Electric wiring and equipment should be checked for defects. Examination also should be made of gas piping and equipment, particular attention being paid to conditions which may allow gas leaks, clearances of gas appliance from combustible material, and proper venting of gas appliances to the outer air.

The storage and handling of flammable liquids should be carefully investigated.

The NBFU urges that inspections be made to determine whether all fire hazards are properly safeguarded.

It also advises that the firms acquaint the members of the fire department with the hazards which exist in the buildings. In particular, the fire department should

know the location where flammable liquids or hazardous chemicals are kept and approximately how much is there.

It should know the location of

the main gas shutoff valve and the electric service switch. It should also know what gas the refrigerating system contains and what to do in case the gas becomes released.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS destructive fires continue to take an enormous toll of life and property despite the compelling need for the conservation of our human and natural resources in order to strengthen the defense of the Nation; and

WHEREAS a more concerted and widespread effort to prevent such fires must be made during the coming year if many lives of our citizens are to be spared, and the suffering and disability of many thousands more prevented; and

WHEREAS, the Nation can ill afford the needless waste of nearly a billion dollars in irreplaceable materials, facilities, resources:

NOW, THEREFORE, I William A. Griffith, Burgess of Pottstown, do hereby designate the week beginning October 4, 1953, as Fire Prevention Week.

I urge that every man, woman, and child in this great county contribute to the nation-wide effort to strengthen the United States by accepting a personal responsibility in the never-ending campaign to save life and property by preventing destructive fires. I request that the local governments, the Red Cross, the Chamber of Commerce, and business, labor and farm organizations, as well as churches, schools, civic groups, and agencies of public information, co-operate fully in the observance of Fire Prevention Week. I also direct the appropriate agencies of the local Government to assist in this crusade against the loss of life and property resulting from fires.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Borough of Pottstown to be affixed.

Done in the borough of Pottstown this 3rd day of October, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-three, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and seventy-eighth.

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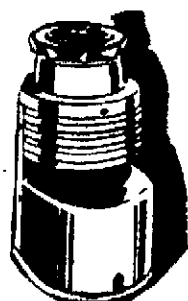
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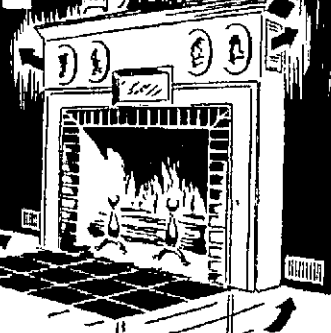
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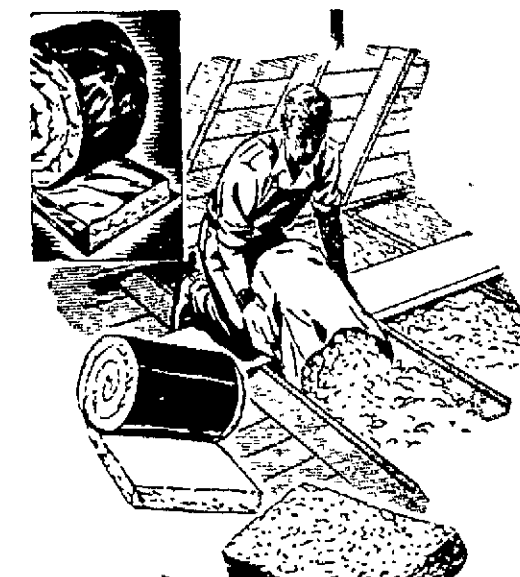
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Teachers in the school are pastors of co-operating churches.

FIRST period courses and teachers include:

1. Apocalyptic Literature, the Rev. Eugene B. Umberger, pastor of Transfiguration Lutheran.

2. Understanding Our Pupils, the Rev. Arthur S. Hanson, pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran, Stowe.

3. Martin Luther, His Life and Times, the Rev. Eichorn.

Second period classes and teachers are:

4. The Christian and His Worship, the Rev. Edgar S. Brown Jr., pastor of Grace Lutheran.

5. A Study of the Old Testament, the Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor of St. James Lutheran.

6. Distinctive Doctrines, the Rev. Edgar M. Cooper, pastor of New Hanover Lutheran.

This is the 22nd year of the leadership school in Pottstown. Former dean of the school was the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran.

Courses given are planned by the Norristown conference of the Lutheran ministerium of Pennsylvania.

CHURCH CALENDAR

EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN
Baltzell, the Rev. John L. Smoker, pastor. Today, church council, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 8:30 p. m.; Wednesday, Bible school, 7:30 p. m.; catechetical class, 3:30 p. m.; prayer service, 7:30 p. m.; organization meeting for parents, 8:15 p. m.; Thursday, Girl Scouts, 7 p. m.; Friday, WSCS institute, Zion church, Allentown, session, 7:15 p. m.; and 7:30 p. m.; junior choir, 4 p. m.; senior choir, 7:45 p. m.

Salem, the Rev. John L. Smoker, pastor. Tomorrow, district conference rally at Bethany church, Norristown, 2:30 p. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Wednesday, all at Baltzell, weekday Bible school, 2:45 p. m.; catechetical classes, 3:30 p. m.; prayer service, 7:30 p. m.; Thursday, Girl Scouts at Baltzell, 7 p. m.; ladies aid at home of Mrs. Ida Yarnall, 8 p. m.; Saturday, junior choir, 2:30 p. m.

BAPTIST
First, the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor. Today, trustee board meeting in church office, 7 p. m.; Golden Rule class meeting, led by Mildred Foley, 8 p. m.; tomorrow, Brooklyn, 4 p. m.; Girl Scouts, 6:45 p. m.; Ginnola class meeting at home of Mrs. Francis Tyson, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, youth choir rehearsal, 4 p. m.; midweek service for prayer and fellowship, 7:30 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 8:30 p. m.; Thursday, Fidelia class banquet in social rooms, Bluebird class serving, 6:30 p. m.; Phyllis class meeting at home of Mrs. John Hensley, 8 p. m.; Friday, Christian education board meeting in church office, 8 p. m.; Saturday, open house at Baptist Institute, Bryn Mawr, 11 a. m. to 5 p. m.

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Second, the Rev. Heywood L. Butler, pastor. Thursday, prayer meeting, 8 p. m.

BRETHREN
First, the Rev. Ralph R. Frey, pastor. Wednesday, junior choir practice, 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:30 p. m.; senior choir practice, 8:30 p. m.

LUTHERAN
Emmanuel, the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor. Today, Brownies Troop 29, 4 p. m.; Boy Scout Troop 3, 7 p. m.; church council, 8 p. m.; Ladies Bible class at church, 8 p. m.; tomorrow, Brownies Troop 7, 4 p. m.; opening session, Lutheran Leadership Training school, 7:30 p. m.; Wednesday, sewing by Mite society, 9 a. m.; box lunch by Mite society, business session and program following, 12:15 p. m.; Brownies Troop 11, 4 p. m.; chapel choir rehearsal, 4 p. m.; senior and intermediate Girl Scouts, Sunday school officers and teachers association business meeting, 8 p. m.; Thursday, Carol choir rehearsal, 4 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.; Friday, Junior girls, boys and descent choir rehearsal, 4 p. m.

Grace, the Rev. Edgar S. Brown Jr., pastor. Tomorrow, training school at Emmanuel, 7:30 p. m.; Wednesday, parish school, grades 3, 4, 5 and 6, 2:45 p. m.; pre-school through Second grade, 4 p. m.; junior choir rehearsal, 4 p. m.; ladies Bible class covered dish social, 6:15 p. m.; Friday, chapel choir rehearsal, 3:30 p. m.; Saturday, pre-catechetical class, 9 a. m.; junior catechetical class, 9 a. m.; senior catechetical class, 10 a. m.

St. James, the Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor. Today, Brownies, 2:45 p. m.; Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; tomorrow, women's missionary society, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, church council, 8 p. m.; Thursday, orchestra rehearsal, 7 p. m.; channel choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.; Saturday, junior choir rehearsal, 10 a. m.

St. John's, South Pottstown, the Rev. George F. Eichorn, pastor. Tomorrow, leadership school at Emmanuel, led by the Rev. Eichorn, 7:30 p. m.; Thursday, chapel choir rehearsal, 6:45 p. m.; junior choir rehearsal, 7 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.

St. Peter's, Stowe, the Rev. A. S. Hanson, pastor. Today, Boy and Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m.; tomorrow, leadership school at Emmanuel, 7:30 p. m.; Thursday, senior choir, 8 p. m.; Friday, junior choir, 4 p. m.; Saturday, junior catechetical class, 10 a. m.; senior catechetical class, 11 a. m.

Transfiguration, the Rev. Eugene B. Umberger, pastor. Today, Brownies, 2:45 p. m.; Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; tomorrow, women's missionary society, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, church council, 8 p. m.; Thursday, orchestra rehearsal, 7 p. m.; channel choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.; Saturday, junior choir rehearsal, 10 a. m.

Trinity, the Rev. John B. Franz, pastor. Today, Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; Wednesday, junior choir, 3:30 p. m.; Thursday, Girl Scouts, 6:30 p. m.; senior choir, 8 p. m.

Zion's, the Rev. Howard A. Kosman, pastor. Today, Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; Wednesday, chapel choir rehearsal, 4:45 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 12:45 p. m.

METHODIST
First, the Rev. Martin J. Brinton, pastor. Today, commission on membership and evangelism, 7 p. m.; tomorrow, WSCS study class at parsonage, 7:45 p. m.; Wednesday, children's choir rehearsal, 4:30 p. m.; chapel choir rehearsal, 7:30 p. m.; prayer hour, 7:30 p. m.; channel choir rehearsal, 8:30 p. m.; Friday, mothers' class Halloween party at home of Mrs. Marcus Myers, 8 p. m.

Bethel AME, the Rev. Enoch N. Martin, pastor. Today, official board meeting, 8 p. m.; tomorrow, choir practice, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, prayer meeting and Bible study, 8 p. m.

Seales, the Rev. Maurice E. Hoover, pastor. Today, official board meeting, 7:45 p. m.; tomorrow, Ladies Bible class meeting, 7:45 p. m.; Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m.; Wednesday, Bible study hour in the parlor, 7:30 p. m.; Thursday, Pottstown WCTU meeting in parlor, 2 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 7:30 p. m.; Friday, junior choir rehearsal, 4 p. m.

OTHER CHURCHES
Christ Episcopal, the Rev. George A. Lineker, rector. Today, Women's club party in parish house, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, teachers' training class, 8 p. m.; Thursday, women's guild business meeting, 10:30 a. m.; church school bowling league at the Y, 6:45 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.

First Presbyterian, the Rev. A. Burtis Hallock, pastor. Today, Girl Scout Troop 5, 4 p. m.; Boy Scout Troop 3, 7 p. m.; tomorrow, Circle 3 meeting at home of Mrs. William Starrett, Boyertown, 1 p. m.; Circle 1 meeting at home of Mrs. William Ebert, Sanatoga, 1:30 p. m.; Circle 2 meeting at home of Mrs. Whitman Lacey, Sanatoga, 1:30 p. m.; choir rehearsal, 7:30 p. m.; Saturday, Brownies Troop 23, 1:30 p. m.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational, the Rev. Donald T. Floyd, pastor. Tomorrow, Altitude class meeting at home of Stella Thomas, 7:30 p. m.; Wednesday, prospective catechetical class members meet with the pastor, 6:30 p. m.; prayer service, 7:30 p. m.; official board meeting, 8:30 p. m.

Jehovah's Witnesses, Kingdom Hall, 137 High Street. Tomorrow, theocratic ministry school, 7:30 p. m.; service meeting, 8:30 p. m.; Thursday, Bible study to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, also testimonies of healing.

Holiness Christian, the Rev. Berwin H. Hainley, pastor. Wednesday, prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.

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Friendship Circle Conducts Meeting at Colebrookdale Home

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A meeting of the "Friendship Circle" was held at the home of Aurelie Yorgey. The Young Peoples Prayer meeting topic "This Is My Body," was read by Miss Yorgey.

Hymns sung were "Come Thou Almighty King," "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" and "What a Friend."

The following were present: Janet Weiss, Esther Wade, Barbara Renninger, Dorothy Weiss, Joyce Gresh, Patricia Lord, Geraldine Walter, Madeline Hertzog, Lois Mary Egolf, and Amy Dengler.

Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be a Halloween masquerade at the home of Geraldine Walter, Gilbertville. Visitors at the home of Annie and Amy Dengler were: Carrie Lorah, Gabelsville; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Auman, Sanatoga; Mrs. Henrietta Nester, Hannah Hartshaw, Mrs. Martha Vinzke and Mrs. John Whitacre, Colebrookdale.

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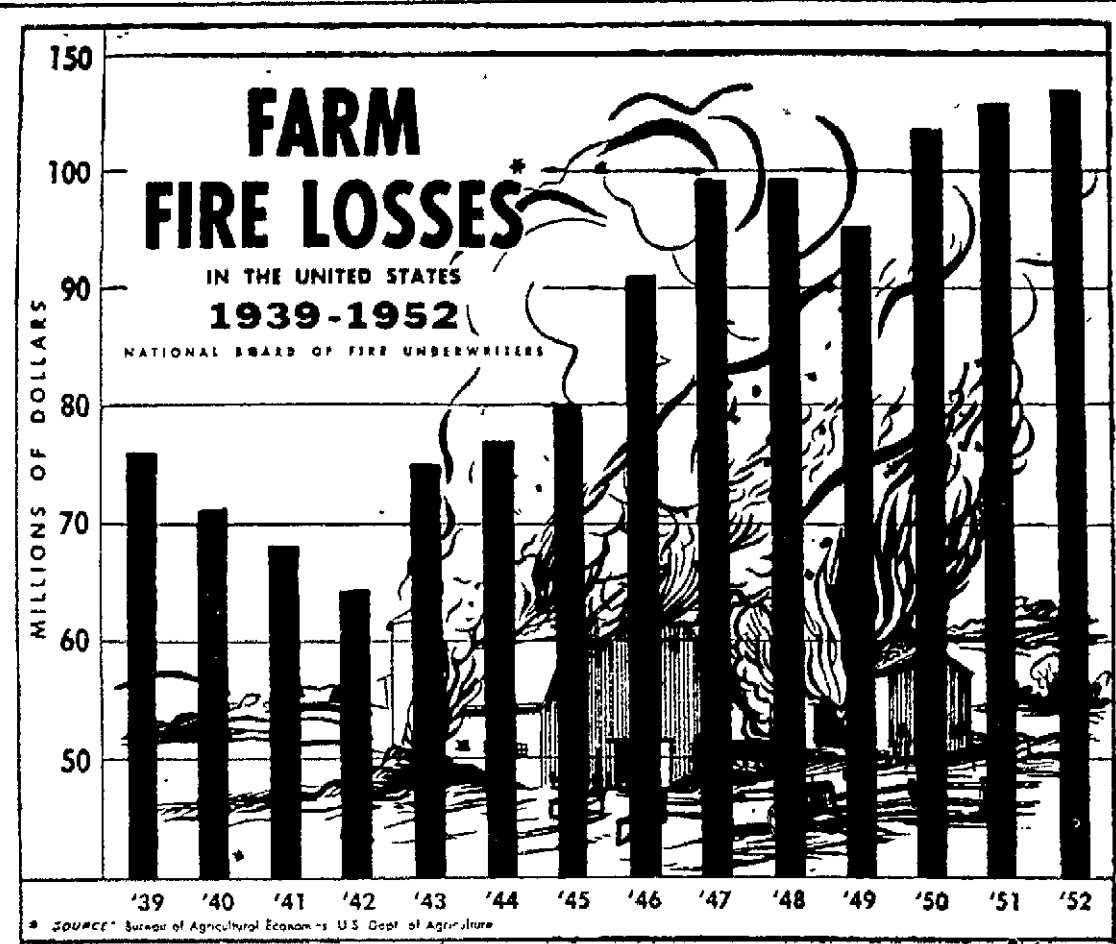
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Cigar, Fire Cracker Blamed for Two of Biggest US Fires

A lighted cigar stub dropped through a factory's broken skylight, set fire to 100 dozen celluloid shirt bosoms, stylish in 1904. Before the fire was over, 150 acres of Baltimore had been devastated.

The alarm was delayed and the fire horses had dithered the day of the great Boston fire of 1872 that caused a \$70,000,000 loss.

Somebody threw a Fourth of July fire cracker through the window of a builder's shop and 200 acres of buildings in Portland, Me. were laid waste, July 4, 1866.



buildings is considered sufficient for safety. If possible, prevailing winds should blow across a hypothetical line connecting house and barn.

Because lack of water is a serious danger, every farm should, if possible, have a pond within pumping distance of buildings. Soil Conservation service specifications will assure the pond's usefulness to the fire-fighters.

Each phase of the farmer's daily work should be done with the threat of fire in mind. The farmer should also inspect his entire farm carefully for fire hazards.

Cardinal safety rule is that heat, sparks or flames (actual or potential) and combustibles like hay, straw, gasoline or kerosene do not mix. Keep plenty of space between them!

THE FARM SHOULD have a complete lightning protection system. All wire fences near the barn or other buildings should be connected to a ground which may be bonded to the lightning rod ground.

Further information on this subject may be obtained from NEFU's booklet, "Your Farm and Fire Safety." For your copy, write to the National Board of Fire Underwriters, 85 John street, New York 38, N. Y.

Carelessness Feeds Fire

"Fire Feeds on Careless Deeds" is emphasized in this year's Fire Prevention Week campaign.

The National Fire Protection association points out that 90 percent of all fires are directly due to carelessness and indifference to fire hazards.

12,535 DIE IN FIRE

Death by fire hit a new peak in 1952. The National Fire Protection association reports that 12,535 died. The toll in the last decade now exceeds 100,000.

Fire's Big Three

The National Fire Protection association estimates that there were more than 600,000 building fires in the United States in 1952. Just three hazards accounted for more than one-third of the total.

These were carelessness with matches and smoking; misuse of electricity and faulty wiring and appliances; and defective heating equipment.



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Steps to Farm Fire Safety Listed

Farm and rural fires continue to take a needlessly high toll of life and property.

The National Fire Protection association says that farmers should take three simple steps to protect themselves:

Step 1—Know the primary causes of fire. Eight primary hazards account for 90 percent of farm fires. These are:

- (1) Carelessness with matches and smoking.
- (2) Dirty and defective heating equipment.
- (3) Improper storage and use of gasoline and kerosene.
- (4) Overloaded electric circuits and attempts to operate improperly installed and defective electrical equipment.
- (5) Sparks on flammable wood shingle roofs.
- (6) Spontaneous ignition of hay.
- (7) Trash and rubbish.
- (8) Lack of, or faulty installation of, lightning rods.

Step 2—Check your living habits and the tendency to be careless, and inspect buildings at regular intervals. For example:

- (1) Don't smoke in the barn or in bed... never discard a burning match.
- (2) Keep furnaces, stoves, brooders, and other heating devices clean, in good repair.
- (3) Store gasoline and kerosene in approved containers.
- (4) Be sure electrical circuits are of ample capacity to carry the load. For safety, employ competent electricians



This \$50,000 barn with contents valued at \$10,000 burned in West Hartford, Vt., when a pitchfork broke an electric light bulb and set fire to hay in the loft. It was a complete loss—not even insured. The nearest water supply was a brook 800 feet distant; yet there was no hose, no pump, and no fire extinguisher, and the farmer wasted 20 minutes trying to put out the fire before calling the firemen.

- to make needed repairs.
- (5) Use fire-resistant roofing, such as asphalt shingles, or asbestos or metal roofing.
 - (6) Cure hay properly and provide adequate ventilation... don't overheat driers.
 - (7) Don't allow papers and magazines to pile up in the

- (8) Keep oily rags in metal-covered containers.
- (9) Protect all main buildings with approved lightning rods.

Step 3—Farms are often far from organized fire protection. Keep fire extinguishers, hose, and ladders on the premises.

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- Don't overload electric outlets!
- Don't use ordinary extension cords on heaters, irons!
- Get a sparking chimney fixed!
- Don't use flammable cleaning fluids!
- Don't be careless with cigarettes!

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1953

We do not count a man's years until
he has nothing else to count.—Ralph
Waldo Emerson.

Look Out For Fire!

THIS week is Fire Prevention Week.
As such it is being officially observed
in Pottstown and throughout the nation.

But so far as every man, woman and child
is concerned, every week should be marked
with ways and means to prevent
fires.

The cost of fire
is terrific.
It is a tragic fact
that 11,000 persons
die every year as a
result of fire. Still more tragic is the fact
that at least 2000 are children, most of them
under five years old.

And during the past year there were
300,566 residential fires in cities of 2500 and
over — 6790 more than the previous year.

In 1952 the nation's farm fire loss was \$133
million.

"Fire Feeds on Careless Deeds."
That's the slogan of Fire Prevention
Week, for the National Fire Protection
Association reports that 90 percent of all
fires are directly due to carelessness and
indifference to fire hazards.

Pottstown civic interests will stress fire
prevention in many ways this week. School
children will be given comic books on the im-
portance of avoiding fires; spot checks of
downtown business institutions will be made
to determine if there are any fire hazards
present. In addition fire prevention will be
a topic of discussion of club meetings.

You can play an important role in life
by safeguarding yourself, your property and
that of others by exercising precaution and
fire safety habits. Carelessness with matches
and smoking accounted for almost one-sixth
of the total number of building fires in 1952.

Remember, don't smoke in bed, don't
toss lighted matches or cigarettes into waste
paper baskets, in brush or wooded areas, or
in any place where they might come in contact
with other inflammable materials.

The time of the year is close at hand
when furnace fires are being lit—take
every precaution here; check the chimney,
make certain that your furnace is in
good condition. Don't pile rubbish or any
other materials near stoves or furnaces.

Keeping electrical equipment clean and
in good repair can also prevent fire.

Protect yourself and your family; protect
the woodlands and wildlife—be fire conscious
at all times and make it a habit never to be
careless with anything which might cause
a fire.

How Not to Do It

THE Army's new Chief of Staff, Gen. Mat-
thew B. Ridgway, has established a per-
manent committee to study ways and means
to increase the appeal of an Army career.

The failure of the military life to attract
as many high caliber men as are needed and
the departure from the Army of many who
would be valuable to it have been a serious
worry to such leaders as Gen. Omar N.
Bradley for a long time. The new commit-
tee, which consists of seven high-ranking of-
ficers, headed by Maj. Gen. Robert N. Young,
Assistant Chief of Staff for Personnel, has the
blessing of Defense Secretary Charles E.
Wilson.

There can be no doubt as to the value of
such a study. The need for keeping our de-
fense in able hands does not need to be
argued. But it is ironic that such an effort
should be announced just as the Air Force,
for example, is dropping some 6500 officers,
many of whom can now properly be described
as hardship cases.

At the end of World War II, the defense
services urged men to stay in uniform to as-
sist in the national security. The patriotic
appeal persuaded many to continue in ser-
vice and there are a lot of officers who gave
up opportunities to return to civilian occupa-
tions seven or eight years ago. Now an un-
determined number of these are being drop-
ped, and at a time when industry is experi-
encing more than a few layoffs. There are
Air Force officers who feel that a promise to
them has been broken and who can deny it?

The new committee in Secretary Wilson's
defense department has work to do all right
and one of the first items it might well list
is this sudden retirement of officers who might
have made their careers in the Air Force.

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS,
Editor, The Mercury,
October 4,
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Some dental feller says the human face
is gettin' smaller. Wal, it looks like it ain't
only the Orientals who are losin' face these days.
He says men used to have 40
teeth. Now they've got 32
and most of 'em store
choppers. Next thing you
know the only teeth
around will be those on
saws.

'N' now the Baltimore
Orioles are in the big leagues.
The Phils used to be the
Blue Jays. That would
be a world series for the birds.

So this is fire prevention week, huh? Wal,
if a feller does his work right, he don't have
to worry about preventin' bein' fired.
Hopin' you air the same,
GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:

Mother Raps Football Fans' Behaviour

Scores Behaviour

To the Editor: I'm writing you in the
hopes that the guilty party or parties will
come in contact with it. I'm a parent
who considers it a privilege to be one,
not a burden.

I try hard to see the modern ways and
beliefs, but when it comes to destroying
and perhaps doing bodily harm, I draw
the line. Times have changed and each
day we become more modern than our
grandparents.

I believe, though, that basic childhood
training and the start we give our chil-
dren will never change as long as God
gives us the privilege of being a parent.
Everything must have a good foundation
for it to have lasting worth.

Recently my child attended the Senior
High school football game. While there,
she was hit on the head; that was not
enough—she then was covered with
chocolate milk. A cleaner will tell that
is very hard to get out of clothing, and
if cold water is not put on immediately,
it will not come out at all.

So, for the one football game for
which we bought a ticket, we have a
cleaner's bill, a headache and a disturbed
view of the game for our child.

Not only was our child covered with
chocolate milk, but also many other
persons were. The throwing continued
throughout the game. If the guilty ones

have no respect for others, don't they
realize that the destruction of food is a
sin?

Pottstown A PARENT

Lauds Generosity

To the Editor: I am sending \$10 for
the Prisoner of War fund. I enjoyed the
items and pictures in the paper. Those
men could tell some stories and I know
they are glad to be home again with
their loved ones.

I think it was such a nice thing for
The Mercury to do. The generosity of
your readers must have been appreciated
by the families of the men.

I, too, was grateful to Pottstown for
the many letters I received from your
readers after mention in the All Around
the Town column.

MRS. DANIEL E. BAUER

Urges Cleaning

To the Editor: Now that fire preven-
tion week is almost here, it would do
well for all Pottstonians to clean up the
trash in their backyards and remove the
fire menaces.

There are a good many Pottstown resi-
dents who flagrantly violate safety codes
by not keeping their backyards clear of
debris.

Also, people ought to check their
attics. My brother's home burned down

because he had spontaneous combustion
occur in his attic.

I hope the spirit of prevention catches
on. Instead of one week of the year
stressing fire prevention, every week
ought to be set aside.

Pottstown READER

Talented

To the Editor: Who is that certain
police officer who has such an amazing
talent?

Without leaning against the doorway,
he can close his eyes and go to sleep
standing up.

Pottstown MOTORIST

Brazen Act

To the Editor: Who was that lovely
girl who whistled at me when I walked
out of a local drug store the other day?
Her brazenness was exceeded only by
her lack of front teeth.

Pottstown BLONDE HAired BOY

Lauds Program

To the Editor: I sure was glad to read
that more Pottstown streets will be built.
I'm sick of being jolted and having my
head knocked against the ceiling every
time I drive along the present streets.

It seems the only good street in Pott-
stown is High street, and I don't live on
that.

Pottstown MOTORIST

INTERPRETIVE

US Favors Magsaysay
In Philippine Election

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—The Eisen-
hower Administration has placed its po-
litical chips on another candidate for head
of a state in a major overseas election,
although its score in backing favorites
in the international game of politics —
former Premier Alcide de Gasperi in
Italy and Chancellor Konrad Adenauer
in Germany—is only 50-50.

Despite official demurrers, Washing-
ton's entry in the Presidential campaign
in the Philippines is Ramon Magsaysay,
the former Defense secretary, whose
aggressive tactics quelled the rebellion
of the Communist-led Huk in this key
stronghold of the Pacific. In the Novem-
ber contest, he opposes his former chief,
President Elpidio Quirino, the candidate
of the misnamed Liberal Party.

Quirino's regime has been shot
through with graft, inefficiency and
oppression of Filipino workers and
farmers. His organization works
closely and corruptly with the
absentee landlords, usurers, politi-
cians and field bosses, whose cynical
rule contributed to the early suc-
cesses of the Reds' anti-American
activities.

A Quirino re-election might provoke
a domestic rebellion by the oppressed
Filipinos, which would lower American
prestige throughout the Far East. Since
we granted independence to the islands
in 1946, we have overadvertised them as
"the showcase of American democracy
and self-government" in this part of the
world.

It is believed that Magsaysay would
win easily, if the elections were
conducted on a clean and honest basis,
for the grievances of the voters are many
and cruel. A man of humble birth and
spare living, he appeals to the peasantry
and the workers in the cities. Normally,
he should benefit from the support of
the powerful Army faction.

VOTERS COWED: But the mass of
voters are at the economic mercy of the
landowners and wealthy industrialists,
who prefer Quirino's protection to
promised reforms.

Quirino also has the selection of elec-
tion officials in his hands. And, as the
campaign has progressed, he has shifted
his opponent's Army friends to sparsely
settled, backwoods posts.

Ambassador Raymond Spruance
has maintained strict neutrality in the
affair, although he has been
accused of harboring anti-Quirino
feelings. It is almost certain that his
recall will be requested if Quirino is
re-elected. Quirino regarded it as a
deliberate affront when neither
Eisenhower nor Secretary Dulles
visited Manila on their inspection
trips in Korea and the Orient.

Unfortunately for Washington, our
overseas political managers bungled
their anti-Quirino offensive from the
start. Even after Magsaysay had entered
the race, Brig. Gen. Carlos P. Romulo,
long a popular figure at the Capital as
Philippine ambassador, announced his
candidate. In Filipino political circles,
he was looked upon as an American-in-
spired entry.

ROMULO WITHDREW: The Romulo
venture had several disadvantages. De-
spite his world fame, he had been so long
absent from the islands that he was only
a name to the voters. Moreover, he
would have divided the opposition to the
Quirino Party, and insured the latter's
triumph.

After looking over the field, and
especially after he lost out in the race
for Secretary General of the United Na-
tions with American backing, he with-
drew from the contest. The Quirino peo-
ple still think that we first sponsored his
candidate, and then persuaded him to
pull out.

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The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

Miss Midnight's Notebook

NOT MANY things are on the upgrade
in this wicked world, but the debutante
is.

H-bombs threaten, taxes are too high,
strikes are rampant, muggers stalk the
side streets, politicians are crass,
subversives bore and most things are
in a terrible mess, but the state of the
deb has improved.

It seems like all
of two or three years
since an 18-year-old
with a couple of
lines in the Social
register has hired
herself a Broadway
press agent and
given him the green
light to get her name
into print in con-
nection with anything from a charity ball
to Bruce Cabot.

It's all of that since a debutante has
been barred from the Stork Club for
conduct unbecoming a stevedore. The
darlings slated to bow to society this Fall
are unlikely to comb page boy bobs over
the pre-luncheon martini, get arrested
for speeding, or make the front pages by
slugging a ball player in Glennon's bar;
that sort of thing is demode, and good
ridance. Nobody, this year, is out to be-

come Debutante Number One, which in
most cases in the past actually meant
Debutante Most Willing To Do Anything
To Get Her Picture In the Papers but
that is unlikely to happen this year
because none of the young ladies appears
to be competing with Marilyn Monroe.

BROADWAY GUESSING GAME:
A forty-ish Hollywood actress and
her much younger bridegroom are
putting on a good show of honey-
moon, but they have reached the
usual understanding with an unusual
design for living.

One of the lawyers involved in the
Jelke case owes several hundred dol-
lars in bar tabs at a midtown spot,
and can't pay it—he says—because
he still hasn't received a dime for
his work in the trial.

A WEST COAST story that would have
knocked Rita Hayworth and Dick Haymes
off the front pages was narrowly
missed when one of the screen's most
lush blonde sirens asked an ugly but in-
teresting actor to run off with her, and
he declined on the grounds that he was
married.

The most startled member of the cast
would have been her best beau, famous
but not in show business. . . . A color-
ful opera star had to scrap his autobio-
graphy because his wife objected to the
frank romantic revelations. Some of
the chapters read like the Kinsey report.

Kirk Douglas, evidently
not swamped with Hollywood
offers, remains overseas to star
in "Atilla the Hun" to be done
in Italy. . . . Amazing and
amusing is this bit of info:
Parents magazine, in its
annual report, gives certain
comic books these ratings:—
Those of Roy Rogers, Wild
Bill Hickok, John Wayne, and
Tex Ritter get a "B" — or
objectionable classification.
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with an "A" . . . Our tip
that Keenan Wynn and Charlotte
Hudson were headin' for a
wedding is now "officially"
confirmed by both. She and
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though — when his freedom
papers from Beeslie Wynn
become final.

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based on the life of painter Paul
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when financing or casting troubles
stymied production. Now it's set
to go again, with probably Jack
Palace in the role originally in-
tended for Vittorio Gassman. It
will be filmed in the South Seas
. . . . Another Vittorio, last-named
de Sica, lands in Filmville from
Italy any moment. Before he re-
turns to home shores, it's expected
he'll produce and direct the long-
delayed Ben Hecht story, "Miracle
in the Rain" — shooting mostly on
the streets of Chicago, USA. . . .
Dany Rubin, co-star of Kirk Dou-
glas in European-made, "Act of
Love," refused to pose for cheese-
cake publicity photos so dear to
American editors. Reason: That
her husband would be one beeg,
feurrious Frenchman if she did.
However, Dany strips down to al-
most nothing for a sequence in the
film itself. Her explanation: "Act-
ing is sheer artistry. Cheese-
cake is just sheer!"

AWARD—Kenneth Simpson, son of
the Rev. Arthur H. Simpson, pastor of
the First Presbyterian church, was
awarded a prize at Lehigh university in
Engineering Physics. The award was
made on Founders day.

10 Years Ago
Oct. 5, 1943
GOLDEN WEDDING—Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Schott, Pottstown RD 4, cele-
brated their 50th wedding anniversary.
A family dinner was served at the home
of their son, Elmer Schott, Sanatoga.
They were presented a purse by their
children.

UNION CONCLAVE—Four officers of
Spicer Local 644, United Auto Workers,
returned from a conference held at Buf-
falo, N. Y. They are President Harper
Diener, "Snuffy" Esbach, Robert Con-
nor and John Hall.

FATAL FALL—Robert Cairnes, 70, of
256 Chestnut street, was fatally injured
when he fell down stairs at his boarding
house, the home of William A. Arbaugh.
He suffered a hip fracture and other
injuries. Six years ago he had both legs
fractured when he was struck by an
automobile at King and Charlotte streets.
He died in Pottstown hospital.

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"NOW, IF YOU MUST SMOKE"

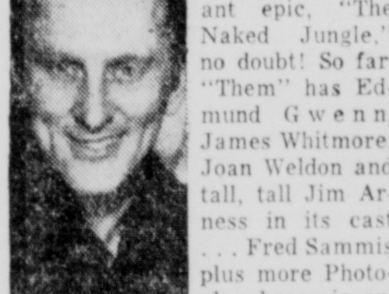


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Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 4.—Looks like
the Brothers Warner are trying to
create a mystery as to what their
upcoming "Them" is about. It's
about giant spiders—duly recorded
here many weeks
ago. A compan-
ion-piece to Par-
amount's giant-
ant epic, "The
Naked Jungle,"
no doubt! So far,
"Them" has Ed-
mund Gwenn,
James Whitmore,
Joan Weldon and
tall, tall Jim Ar-
ness in its cast
. . . Fred Sammis
plus more Photo-
play brass is en-
route here for next
Sunday's party
at the Beverly Hills hotel hono-
ring winners of the "Choose Your
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in the Rain" — shooting mostly on
the streets of Chicago, USA. . . .
Dany Rubin, co-star of Kirk Dou-
glas in European-made, "Act of
Love," refused to pose for cheese-
cake publicity photos so dear to
American editors. Reason: That
her husband would be one beeg,
feurrious Frenchman if she did.
However, Dany strips down to al-
most nothing for a sequence in the
film itself. Her explanation: "Act-
ing is sheer artistry. Cheese-
cake is just sheer!"

AWARD—Kenneth Simpson, son of
the Rev. Arthur H. Simpson, pastor of
the First Presbyterian church, was
awarded a prize at Lehigh university in
Engineering Physics. The award was
made on Founders day.

10 Years Ago
Oct. 5, 1943
GOLDEN WEDDING—Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Schott, Pottstown RD 4, cele-
brated their 50th wedding anniversary.
A family dinner was served at the home
of their son, Elmer Schott, Sanatoga.
They were presented a purse by their
children.

UNION CONCLAVE—Four officers of
Spicer Local 644, United Auto Workers,
returned from a conference held at Buf-
falo, N. Y. They are President Harper
Diener, "Snuffy" Esbach, Robert Con-
nor and John Hall.

FATAL FALL—Robert Cairnes, 70, of
256 Chestnut street, was fatally injured
when he fell down stairs at his boarding
house, the home of William A. Arbaugh.
He suffered a hip fracture and other
injuries. Six years ago he had both legs
fractured when he was struck by an
automobile at King and Charlotte streets.
He died in Pottstown hospital.

See Today's Editorial, "Look Out for Fire"

How's Your Mind?

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. What is a three-quarter
back?
2. What bird do you associate
with derision?

FOLKS OF FAME—GUESS
THE NAME



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sionally, though, the girl goes with the
guy but mostly to pick the setting, after
which, now and then ahead of time, the
boy friend confides to the jeweler how
much he wants to dish out. That way
the girl controls the style of the setting,
the boy controls the price. Nice friendly
arrangement, huh? If the fellow needs
a little help, most jewelers are in a po-
sition to advise. What kind of girl is she?
What other jewelry does she have? Does
she want yellow gold? Setting size is no
problem. They're all made in size 6 and
then changed to fit.

NOSEY—There are few, very few
cases where the girl comes in later
and asks for an appraisal of the stone
or the ring. Either ignorance is bliss
or maybe the girls are good guess-
ers. The man is given an appraisal
for his own protection and insurance
purposes. There's no good way to
determine how much to spend. Too
many factors—savings, family help,
income, other expenses to meet and
so on.

THREE MONTH TRIAL—The aver-
age ring is half a carat. Incidentally,
watch that word carat. Spelled with a
"c" it's the weight of the stone, with a
"k" it refers to gold only. You guys
will appreciate this—you can get a full re-
fund up to 90 days. Most jewelers feel
you should have three months to lose or
keep the girl. In case of a smash-up,
though, the girl can't bring the ring in
and get the money back. Most rings sold
have what the experts call "inclusions."
Cutting, color and perfection affect the
value of the stone and in that order.
Diamonds come in pink, green and lav-
ender. Brown diamonds are common in
men's rings. November and December
are the biggest diamond months.

IT HAPPENED TODAY
1703 — Jonathan Edwards, an
early American divine, born 1830
—Chester Arthur, 21st President
of the US, born 1947—Moscow
announced formation of new Com-
munist "Cominform," aimed at
"US Imperialism."

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE
DIVULGATION — (divul-GA-
shun)—noun; act of divulging;
disclosure. Origin: Latin, "divul-
gare."

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Birthday greetings today to Bill
Willis, professional football line-
man and Edward L. Worthen, soil
technologist.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?
1. A player between the half-
back and fullback in Rugby foot-
ball.
2. The mockingbird.

Pottstown Sketches



ALL AROUND THE TOWN

Forgotten Train . . .

Vivid Descriptions . . .

★ WHO CARES?—That last passenger
run of the Pennsy yesterday caused few
tears to fall despite the fact that once
upon a time the Pennsy trackage was a
vital link between Pottstown and the rest
of the nation. In the telephone book
you'll find the Pennsylvania railroad pas-
senger station still listed, although years
ago the station became a beer distribut-
ing point. A query to the number listed
in the phone book for information on
the last train brought the reply, "Gee, I
don't even know where the train stops
in Pottstown!"

IN KOREA — PVT. RICHARD J.
EDDINGER, son of TITUS EDDING-
ER, 30 South Washington street,
Boyetown, has arrived in Korea for
duty with the 40th Infantry division.
Private Eddinger, who is a Boyer-
town High school grad, worked for
the Boyertown Packaging service
before joining the Army the past
March. . . . PVT. WILLIAM J. FEN-
NELL, husband of MRS. HELENE
FENNELL, Pottstown RD 1, who is
with an AAA group at Catonsville,
Md., has been promoted to private
first class. . . . MARSHALL W. ERB,
1025 Walnut street, is serving with
the Navy aboard the attack transport
USS Rockbridge as boatswain's mate
in the Mediterranean area.

★ THEY SAW METEORS—You've all
heard of the horse of another color, but
how about a meteor? Area residents
gave vivid descriptions of falling meteors
in their calls to Mercury reporters the
past week.

Here are a few samples:
"It was a greenish-blue bright ball of
fire which resembled a reddish streak
and had a long tail."
"It looked yellowish-white, with a
head as big as a basketball and short
tail."
"The meteor was a round ball of fire
with a reddish-orange color which turned
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'Firewater', Pigeons, Hay Children Present Special Fire Protection Problem Add to List of Freak Blazes

When fire prevention experts get together, shop talk is about fire, and often about freak fires.

For example, there is the story of the husband who lit a match to help him see under the door of his apartment, suspecting a man was inside with his wife. Rags stuffed under the door caught fire. Charged with arson, he was held for almost a month before the judge released him. "Believe it or not," it happened in Chicago, Nov. 12, 1948.

The National Fire Protection as-

CAIRO, EGYPT — Pigeons with their feathers ablaze flew from roof-top to roof-top, setting ten-



reed cottages afire.

Except for farms and a very few cities, there is little likeli-

hood of conflagrations in this country today due to flammable roofing. Fifteen years ago, flammable wood shingle roofs ranked third among the major causes of fire in this country.

Now sparks on roofs rank 16th, due to enforcement of building codes by 600-odd communities prohibiting the use of flammable roofing material, and to the increasing use of fire-protective roof coverings, particularly asphalt shingles.

In spite of this, there were still about 16,000 roof fires in 1952, and the loss was \$11,400,000.

Some 1300 children under five, years of age died the past year as a result of fire.

Very young children present a special problem when it comes to fire protection, the National Board of Fire Underwriters points out.

A child enters the world surrounded by potentially dangerous conditions of which he is completely unaware. After a period of helplessness, in which he must be entirely dependent upon his elders, he begins to move about and create situations of his own making.

From this point on, he must

be taught — by discipline or through experience — what is safe and what is not.

At this early age, however, the things which he has already learned are dangerous won't always help him to recognize danger and unrelated experience.

Therefore, he must be supervised; warned of imminent danger before he gets hurt.

CERTAINLY at this stage of his development, a young child cannot be accused of carelessness — which is said to cause 90 percent

of all the fires that occur.

Here are a few common-sense rules to remember, which may save your home, your children's lives and your own:

1. Never leave matches within reach of young hands.
2. Turn pot handles so they do not project beyond the stove.
3. Don't dress children in flimsy, fast-burning materials unless those materials have been flameproofed.
4. Never allow children to play near a bonfire.
5. Never use candles at children's parties.

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sociation lists scores of freak fires. Here are a couple:

DETROIT, Mich.—The party in the restaurant was gay. Brandy was poured into coffee and ignited. When more brandy was added, flames shot ten feet into the air, and the burning liquid was spattered over a radius of 20 feet, burning several people.

Brandy is not a normal cause of fire, but carelessness with flammable liquids is. In 1952, gasoline, kerosene, and similar liquids were the cause of 41,200 fires. The loss was \$50,700,000.

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- "junk" in cellar, attic or closets
- overloaded electric outlets
- frayed electric cords
- ordinary extension cords on heaters, irons
- smoking in bed
- not squashing out cigarettes
- flammable cleaning fluids
- matches left near children
- chimneys that spark

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Pottstown's Prides

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—Mercury Staff Photo

A bay window does a good job of breaking up the expanse of brick, while the lamp post brightens up the front yard at this home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Yonkovich at 1218 North Franklin street (the southeast corner of Franklin and Mervine streets).

The house was finished the past January by Yonkovich's father, Michael Yonkovich, Pottstown builder.

The son put in the lampost. Behind the bay is the living room, about 13 by 15 feet, not counting the bay. Also downstairs are a kitchen, two bedrooms and bath. They are starting to finish the upstairs. Half of the basement is garage. Yonkovich is a clerk for Bethlehem Steel company.

Former Local Man Heads County Group

Gordon R. Exley 2d, former president of Constructioners, incorporated, Pottstown, is the new chairman of the Montgomery county housing and planning committee.

His election was announced Saturday. Exley succeeds Mrs. Henry Lee Willet, chairman of the committee since it was started in 1950.

The former local man now lives in Bryn Mawr. He is an executive of United Building Construction company, Philadelphia.

Headquarters of the housing and planning committee are also in Philadelphia. It is a member of the community chest there.

Reds Give Ex-Chairman Post in East Germany

BERLIN, Oct. 4 (P)—The Communists granted a political reprieve today to Hans Jendretzky, former party chairman for East Berlin, who was in disgrace for "weakness" in handling the June 17 workers' rebellion.

The party announced that Jendretzky was chosen to be council president for the New Brandenburg district. The regime divided East Germany into 14 districts, such as Neu Brandenburg, the past year in an administrative shakeup. The district councils replaced the old machinery that operated as local State Governments.

Jendretzky was dropped from his post as chairman of the party for East Berlin after the June riots and had been in obscurity since.

Mrs. Albert Smith Is Host to Group From Out-of-Town

SALFORDVILLE—Mrs. Walter Styer, corr. Phone Schwenksville 4342, Linwood Reininger, del. Phone Yellow House 3-4742.

Mrs. Albert Smith announces the engagement of her daughter Helen to John Banyai of Perkiomenville, RD. The date of Oct. 10 has been set for the wedding.

Pvt. William Smith of Fort Lee, Va. and Alma Bender of Bally, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Groesch all of Lansdale and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellinger and daughter of Bergey visited Mrs. Albert Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Groff, Bowmansville, Laura and Minnie Jones and Mrs. Yale, Allentown and Mrs. E. H. Dowdy of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., visited the Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Albright, Dale Ziegler of Spring Mount spent several days with his grandparents, the Rev. and Mrs. Albright.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Price and children and Fred Miller visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kardos at Reigelsville, RD.

Mrs. Catharin Sanders has returned home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders at Highland Park.

Mrs. Winfield Huber spent a day with Mrs. Kenneth Detwiler at Souderton, R. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snell visited relatives in Lehigh on Monday.

Bountiful Crops Services Held by West Germans

BONN, Germany, Oct. 4 (P)—West Germans attended thanksgiving services today for bountiful crops.

Speaking in Bonn at one of the many harvest celebrations, Agriculture Minister Wilhelm Niklas said the potato crop was a record 25 million tons. The grain harvest was 11,850,000 tons, or 400,000 tons more than the past year. The anticipated sugar production from German-grown beets, he went on, would be more than a million tons.

Israel Bonds Set Record Sale in United States

NEW YORK, Oct. 4 (P)—More State of Israel bonds have been sold in the United States than any other foreign issue in history, Ambassador Abba S. Eban said today.

The Israel ambassador made the statement in a speech for delivery before groups of bond sellers.

"There is no precedent in the financial history of the United States," he said, for any Government to have sold its securities to the extent of 160 million dollars in cash, with great prospects of increase lying before us in the future."

German Cab Strike Strands US Soldiers

MAINZ, Germany, Oct. 4 (P)—Scores of American soldiers were stranded here after curfew last night when city cab drivers went on a protest strike against raids by US military police and German authorities for Army scrip and cigarettes.

Police said some soldiers hurled beer bottles and rocks at German taxis which refused to take them back to their barracks. The stranded soldiers were later returned in Army trucks. The cab strike began at shortly before the 1 a. m. curfew hour and ended two hours later.

The raids were staged throughout the State of Rhineland-Palatinate, but the only incidents reported occurred here. The raids are held periodically against cab drivers who illegally accept Military scrip or American cigarettes instead of German marks for fares.

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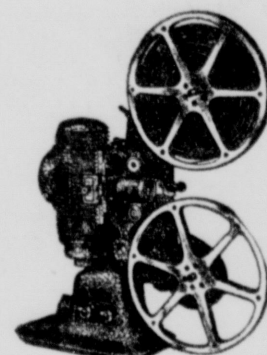
French Troops Continue Mop-Up in River Delta

HANOI, Indochina, Oct. 4 (P)—French Union troops continuing the mop-up of Communist-led Vietminh in the Red river delta killed another 31 Vietminh troops today, a French army spokesman announced.

He also said the French had repulsed a counter-attack northeast of Hung Yen, 30 miles southeast of Hanoi.

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Ship Captain Appeals Sentence on Negligence

CANAKKALE, Turkey, Oct. 4 (P)—The captain of a Swedish freighter, found guilty of incompetence and negligence in a collision with a Turkish submarine resulting in the loss of 81 Turkish lives, has appealed his sentence.

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INDIA BANS PICTURE

MADRAS, India, Oct. 4 (P)—A local theater manager reported today that the Indian government has banned the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture, "The Naked Spur," starring James Stewart, throughout India. No reason for the ban was given.

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Two Fire Companies Hold Gel-Together In Royersford Hall

Like two old friends, Conshohocken Fire company 2 and Friendship Hook and Ladder Fire company 2 fraternized in the Hookies firehall at Royersford Friday night.

The Conshohocken firemen paid a friendly visit to the 'Ford Fire company as a gesture to again indicate the old time good feeling which exists between the two.

Most of the affair was impromptu, but the informality was interrupted long enough for the visiting delegation to present a first aid kit to their hosts. Daniel Garvey, president of the Conshohocken company, presented the engraved memento to Donald Mungin, president of the Hookies.

Among the visitors were Fire Chief Joe Thomas; Harvey Shaw, who is also a lifetime member of the Hookies; Vice President John Hoyer and John Thomas, driver for Conshohocken.

Two bowling alleys and the shuffleboard helped entertain the guests, who came in two chartered buses. Refreshments were served.

PERSONALS

Jeanne Walters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Newton Walters, 436 Walnut street, Royersford, is spending some time visiting friends in Oakland and Los Angeles, Calif. She motored the 4500 miles to California with Jessie Stepp, who had visited relatives in Royersford and Virginia. Miss Walters expects to return to Philadelphia by air.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Keim, Yeagertown, near Lewistown, spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Auchy, Sixth avenue and Arch street, Royersford. Keim lived in Royersford until about 20 years ago.

Royersford Legion Aids Will Meet Tomorrow

Royersford Legion aids will hold their October meeting tomorrow night at 7:45 o'clock in the post house.

The entertainment and refreshment committee comprises Mrs. Ray Bush, Mrs. William Buckwalter, Mrs. Otto Bertz, Mrs. Helen Barthel, Mrs. Russell Bennett, Mrs. Paul Anderson, Catherine Adams, Marie Adams, Mrs. Henry Adams, Mrs. Harry Adams and Mrs. Curtis Austin.

VFW Post Calls Meeting

A special meeting of Ladies' auxiliary of Royersford Post 6341 Veterans of Foreign Wars has been called for tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the post house.

Church Calendar

Spring City Methodist: Tonight, Girl Scouts; Thursday afternoon, 2:15 o'clock, released time school; Friday night, Boy Scouts. Sunday, Oct. 11, annual Rally day.

Royersford Grace Lutheran: Tonight, 7 o'clock, Girl Scouts; 7:30 o'clock, Leadership Training class at Trappe; tomorrow night, 6:30 o'clock, junior catechetical class; 7:30 o'clock, Sunday school officers; 8 o'clock, church council; Wednesday night, 6:30 o'clock, chapel choir rehearsal; 8 o'clock, senior choir rehearsal; Saturday, 10 a. m., Brownies.

Zion Lutheran: Tonight, 7:30 o'clock, Leadership Training class at Trappe; Thursday night, 7 o'clock, youth choir; 8 o'clock, chancel choir.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational: Tonight, 7:30 o'clock, steward board; tomorrow night, 7 o'clock, trustee board; 8 o'clock, official board; Wednesday night, 7:30 o'clock, prayer meeting; 8:45 o'clock, choir rehearsal.

Royersford Methodist: Spiritual Life missions every night this week at 7:45 o'clock.

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Pottstown Area's Finest

Hope for the future lies in our schools. The Mercury is publishing pictures of the Pottstown area's finest, the children in our schools. Every day a new room of school children will be shown here. Save the series, and enjoy them anew in future years.



—Mercury Staff Photo
Persuading 22 active youngsters to stand and look the same way at the same time isn't always easy. Standing still doesn't come naturally when you're the age of these Third graders at St. Peter's parochial school. They managed it this time though, as a special favor to you readers.

In first row, left to right, are Patricia Piechola, Dolores Krause, George Sovia, Randall Cook, Wilmer Gill, Thaddeus Istenes and Sandra Kuback.

Second row, Thomas Krezanowski, Sarah Cushman, Carol Sturheim, Dolores Pavlik, and Janet Blair.

Third row, Victor Frederick, Patricia Rapchinski, James Lake and Patricia Misko.

Fourth row, Stephen Marcheski, Frank Vopriarek, Peter Larkin, Frank Koire, Elizabeth Schmutz and Sister Angelina, teacher.

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Library Club Slates First Meeting of Season Tomorrow

Women's Library club of Spring City will resume activities with its first meeting of the season tomorrow afternoon in Tall Cedars temple.

Beginning with a salad, sandwich and dessert luncheon at 12:30 o'clock, a reception for new members will be held. A business meeting will be conducted at 2 o'clock.

"Our Flag and It's 49th Star" is the general theme of the program. Mrs. Edward Dill, a native of Hawaii, now a member of Spring City elementary school faculty, will discuss "Hawaiian Statehood." Several local girls accompanying Mrs. Dill will demonstrate Hawaiian dances.

Mrs. Milton L. Hoelle, Birchrunville, a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, will tell the story of the flag.

Mrs. Addison L. Allen, legislation chairman, and Mrs. H. Clyde Hipple, chairman of Americanism, are in charge of the program.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Irvin Quigg and Mrs. Frank Strimmel.

PHOENIXVILLE HOSPITAL

Admitted: Edward Manion, Mrs. Joseph Amadio, Frank Nagy, Olof Smildzins, Mrs. Elizabeth Dancy, all of Phoenixville; Mrs. Ross, Oaks; Henry Wortman, Mrs. Charles Kern, Spring City; John Hogan, Conshohocken.

Discharged: Mrs. Harold Spencer, Parkerford; Mrs. Albert Lessig, Mrs. John Zimmerman and son; Charles Kopp and Mrs. J. H. Bason Jr., Phoenixville; Mrs. Daniel Mosteller, Joseph Reid, Spring City; Raymond Garber, Royersford.

Birth: To Mrs. Joseph Thum, Spring City, a girl.

Home Association to Meet

A special meeting of the Home association of Royersford Post 6341 VFW will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the post headquarters.

Monticello, the home of Thomas Jefferson, is full of gadgets like hidden stairways and dumb-waiters and a clock and a weather-vane that can be read both inside and outside.

"Cash For Farmers!" See Page 5

DEATHS - FUNERALS

WILLIAM P. CHRISTY 3d, infant son of William and Della (Nuding) Christy, 438 MARKET STREET, SUNBURY, died Saturday morning at 7:30 o'clock in Sunbury Community hospital. The child was six months and five days old.

Surviving besides the parents are the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Christy, Silver Creek, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. William F. Nuding, Royersford RD 1.

Services will be conducted at the convenience of the family at the Shalko funeral home, 137 Bridge street, Spring City, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in St. James Episcopal church cemetery, Evansburg.

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Dames

Temperatures Top 100 In Los Angeles Area

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 4 (AP) — This city continued to bake today as the mercury hit 100 in the downtown area and 101 at the airport.

Forecasters said there are indications of a weakening of the high pressure area off Nevada, which forced hot desert air westward yesterday.

Even beach communities reported high temperatures with 96 recorded at Hermosa beach.

Canadian Jet Liner Nears Record Crossing

LONDON, Oct. 4 (AP) — A Comet jet liner of the Royal Canadian Air Force sped across the Atlantic today from Goose Bay, Labrador, to London in 5 hours and 28 minutes.

The liner, which carried 29 Canadian airmen to Britain on a training mission, averaged 480 miles an hour over the 2600-mile flight.

The pilot, Wing Commander Howard Morrison, claimed the fastest time for the crossing when he landed at London airport. But the comet's speed was well behind the record time of 4 hours, 34 minutes set July 28 by a US Air Force B-47 supersonic bomber.

Hospital Discharges Victim of Auto Crash

Mrs. Eva Cozart, 45-year-old Pottstown RD 4 woman who was injured in an automobile accident Friday morning, was discharged Saturday from Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Cozart was admitted to the hospital Friday morning for X-rays and observation of possible head injuries. Her head broke the windshield of a car driven by Carrie Lee Cozart, Pottstown RD 4, with whom she was a passenger.

The accident occurred at Center avenue and Price street in a collision with a car driven by Mrs. B. Conrad Miller, 1111 Sembling avenue. Mrs. Miller's six-year-old son, Conrad Jr., was given dispensary treatment for a bump on his forehead. Mrs. Miller complained of a pain in the left knee and side.

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FASTTEETH, a pleasant alkaline (non-acid) powder, holds false teeth more firmly. To eat and talk in more comfort, just sprinkle a little FASTTEETH on your plates. No gummy, goopy, pasty taste or feeling. Checks "plate odor" (denture breath). Get FASTTEETH at any drug store.

"Hot flashes" of change of life stopped or strikingly relieved in 63-80% of the cases in doctors' tests!

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34 New Performance Records! 51 New Endurance Records!
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Bonneville Salt Flats, Utah, 12:00 noon, Sept. 24. Here at official AAA Testing Headquarters, the new '54 Dodge which will be presented this Thursday smashed 34 official AAA records for speed and acceleration.

The new Dodge with its sensational Red Ram V-8 engine traveled faster than any standard American car ever clocked officially by the AAA!

In tests of stamina and endurance, too, Dodge has already set 51 new records as this is written, with more piling up every hour.

This dramatic achievement in performance and endurance is matched by new elegance, more massive length and flashing style.

See this new '54 Dodge this Thursday at your Dodge dealer's. It is elegance in action!

New PowerFlite Drive Smashes 41 Records!
Fully-automatic—and fully-proved! 41 of the speed and endurance records were set by a Dodge equipped with new PowerFlite Drive. No automatic transmission in any car can match this record!

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AUXILIARY HOLDS PARTY, AWARDS VARIOUS PRIZES

Fire Company Group
Also Maps Plans
For Future

Members of the Gilbertsville Fire company Ladies' auxiliary enjoyed their annual Halloween party held in the fire hall, with many prizes awarded.

The various categories and winners were as follows: Prettiest single person, Mrs. Marian Buchak; prettiest couple, Mrs. Eleanor Trullinger and Mrs. Lioise Schwebel; funniest single person, Mrs. June Mullen; funniest couple, Mrs. Beulah Heinly and Susan Heinly; fattest single person, Mrs. Helen W. Geiger; fattest couple, Mrs. Irene Campbell and Mrs. Dorothy Blank.

The ugliest person, Mrs. Jannette Nester; most original, Mrs. Helen O. Geiger. Two pig-in-box awards were made to Mrs. Carrie Fryer and Mrs. Jane Mattern.

During the business session, in charge of the president, Mrs. Lioise Schwebel, the acceptance into the membership of Mrs. Emma Mathias, Gilbertsville RD, was approved.

MRS. SCHWEBEL appointed the following committees for next month's meeting: Entertainment, Mrs. Betty Frey and Mrs. Anna Reinert; refreshment, Mrs. June Mullen, Mrs. Jane Mattern, Mrs. Marie Fegley, Mrs. Helen O. Geiger and Mrs. Eleanor Trullinger. At that meeting, the members will conduct a hat social.

A bus will be leaving from the fire hall on Tuesday, Oct. 20, for Philadelphia where the members will witness a television show. Anyone desiring to make the trip is requested to contact Mrs. Grace Hartenstein.

The auxiliary is also making plans to have Tom Moorehead come to Gilbertsville to present a special show.

Mrs. Virginia Linsensbiger announced that a merchandise display will be held today from 4 to 9:30 p. m., in the fire hall. She invited all members to witness the display.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Services for JACOB P. DOTTERER, husband of the late Emma M. (Beidler) Dotterer, near Earlville, BOYERTOWN, RD 2, were held from the Schwenk funeral home, 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, Saturday at 3 p. m. Further services were held in Salem Reformed church, Spangsville, with the Rev. Earl G. Wolford, pastor, officiating. Interment was made in the Oley Church cemetery, Spangsville.

Bearers were six grandsons, Norman Hess, Kenneth Hess, Lloyd Trate, Ronald Dotterer, Gordon Dotterer and Rowan Fritz.

Lodge Plans Dinner

Many committee members of the Loyal Rebekah Lodge 593 and Independent Order of Odd Fellows Lodge 708, Boyertown, met to make final plans for their third annual turkey dinner.

The event will be held Sunday, Nov. 8, in the Odd Fellows building, 35 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown.

Boyertown Classified

Deaths
ROHRBACH—In Reading, on Thursday, Oct. 1, 1953, Henry H. Rohrbach, 61, husband of the late Mary Rohrbach, died at his home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment in Huffs Church cemetery. Friends may call on Sunday evening 7 to 9. (Schwenk)

Card of Thanks
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Help Wanted—Female
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WOMAN—To Care for Small Child
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MERCHANDISE DISPLAY

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The manager of this Stowe AA team of 1907 isn't on the picture; he's out selling tickets for the next game.

This team was rated as the AA's second team but it lost to

the "first" team by only a 1-0 score, it was recalled by Ralph S. Baker, 10 North Penn street, who loaned the picture.

The team won 12 out of 15 games it played on Brancote

field.

In the top row are, left to right, John Roth, Dave Mauger, Joseph Barkel, Fred Gephart, Dick Hornberger, and Ed Mauger (Dave's brother).

In the lower row are, left to right, Sam Yerger, Amos Haws, Baker, who was assistant manager, Earl Kirilin and Bob Mauger (a third brother).

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Local, Area Estates Confirmed by Court

A local and two area estates were among 15 in which President Judge Frederick A. Marx, Orphan's court, Berks county, confirmed the accounts and ordered distribution during the past week.

Irwin H. Gilbert, 132 North Walnut street, Boyertown, had a balance of \$12,413.79 distributed to the National Bank of Boyertown, executor of the estate of Louisa S. Gilbert. H. Leon Breidenbach is the attorney.

Warren H. Gehris, New Berlinville, Colebrookdale township, had a balance of \$18,255.87 distributed as follows: St. John's Evangelical (Hill) Reformed church, \$100; Christ Evangelical and Reformed church, Niantic, \$100; Amanda Y. Gehris, in her own right and as assignee of Helen Houck and Robert Houck, \$18,055.87 and real estate appraised at \$4750. H. Leon Breidenbach is the attorney.

Solomon K. DeTurk, Oley, a balance of \$14,628.87 distributed as follows: impounded for tombstones, \$350, and for taxes, \$500; to Annie Hafer, Edna DeTurk and Elsie Hartline, \$3444.72 each, and Eli R. DeTurk, \$3444.71. Thomas W. Leidy is the attorney.

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Warren Signs Pardon for Murderer, Leaves to Take Over as Chief Justice

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 4 (AP)—Earl Warren, his resignation as governor of California left behind on his Sacramento desk, departed today for Washington to become chief justice of the U.S. Supreme court.

One of Warren's last acts as governor was to pardon a man whose murder conviction in 1937 won him wide public notice.

Mrs. Warren, changing her plans at the last minute in order to see her husband sworn in when the court begins its Fall term tomorrow, flew with the Republican governor. She planned to return in a few days to complete packing at the executive mansion in Sacramento.

Their plane, United Air Lines Flight 602, was delayed 33 minutes past its scheduled departure as personal friends and cameramen swarmed around the Warrens at the airport. They were due in Washington, after a change of planes in Chicago, at 9:35 p. m. (Pottstown time) aboard American Airlines Flight 266.

President Eisenhower will attend the induction ceremony Monday, as will Mrs. Eisenhower. The President the past Wednesday appointed Warren to the nation's top judicial post. Warren succeeds the late Fred M. Vinson who died Sept. 8.

Included in the well wishers when the Governor and Mrs. Warren left today were staff members and two of the Warrens' three daughters, Dorothy, 22, and Nina (Honey Bear), 21. The third daughter, Virginia, 24, said her goodbyes in Sacramento.

Also on hand was one of the Warrens' three sons, James, 34, a San Francisco advertising man, his wife and three children. The other sons were unable to make it. Re-

cently-wed Earl Jr., 23, was honeymooning and Bobby, 18, was at UCLA, where he recently enrolled as a freshman.

Warren last night signed a pardon for Ernest J. Ramsay, 43, now of Brooklyn, N. Y., convicted of second degree murder in 1937 in a celebrated murder trial which helped bring Warren, then district attorney of Alameda county, to prominence in California.

The pardon was one of 19 clemencies—including pardons and commutations of sentence—signed by the Governor last night.

MOSSADEGH CHARGED WITH DISOBEYING SHAH

Formal Indictment Carries Death Penalty

TEHRAN, Iran, Oct. 4 (AP)—Iran's deposed Nationalist premier, Mohammed Mossadegh, was formally charged today with trying to overthrow Iranian monarchy and with sparking the ill-fated uprising against the Shah which brought about his own downfall Aug. 19.

Conviction could result in a sentence of death by hanging for the wealthy 73-year-old lawyer and landowner whose wily tactics behind a facade of weeping and fainting brought him almost dictatorial powers over this Middle East Nation, once rich because of its oil.

The long indictment was signed by an Army prosecutor following an intensive investigation of the jailed ex-premier. A military court martial will read the charges to Mossadegh and instruct him to choose defense attorney for his trial, for which no date has yet been set.

The hawk-nosed former premier faces another possible trial before a civil court on charges connected with his activities as head of the Government before the fateful mid-August events which led to his downfall.

Government spokesmen have promised Mossadegh would be tried for leading the nation to bankruptcy. Premier Gen. Fazollah Zahedi, named by the Shah to replace Mossadegh, has charged that his predecessor's inflexible maneuvers in nationalizing the vast British-owned Iranian installations of the billion-dollar Anglo-Iranian Oil company, threw the nation deep into debt.

The children were gone when she reached the basement but the automatic washing machine was running. Mrs. Beiser turned it off and was ready to return upstairs when, from inside the machine, came a "snorting and burping" sound.

There was Randy, a five-week-old puppy, in four inches of water and cleans as a whistle. "Thank Goodness," she said, "I got him before he had to spin dry."

ARMED THREAT BY SOUTH KOREA WEAKENS TRUCE

Official Protest Launched Against Behavior of Indian Troops

PANMUNJOM, Monday, Oct. 5 (AP)—An official South Korean threat to drive India's troops out of Korea by armed force—a threat relayed through the US Eighth Army command—cast a shadow today on the Korean war truce.

The strongly worded threat backed up a protest by South Korea's foreign ministry of the way Indian troops are handling nearly 23,000 Chinese and Korean prisoners of war in their custody in the demilitarized zone.

These prisoners—now key figures in a psychological war of Communism versus Democracy—have said they do not want to return to Red rule. They are being held in the neutral zone so that Red teams may interview them and try to persuade them to change their minds. New developments threatened to again delay the start of these explanations for as much as four weeks.

During recent disturbances, Indian guards killed three of these prisoners and wounded ten.

Yesterday South Korea's acting foreign minister, Cho Chung Whan, sent an official protest through Gen. Maxwell Taylor, U. S. Eighth Army commander, to India's Major Gen. S. P. P. Thorat.

"The acts recently committed by the (Neutral Nations Repatriation) commission and the Indian Armed forces are clear cut evidence of their pro-Communist character," the protest read.

"I wish to solemnly warn you, on behalf of the Government of the Republic of Korea, that if the commission and the Indian troops do not rectify immediately the evil acts being committed, the Republic of Korea will be regretfully forced to send their armed forces to drive the irresponsible Indian troops out of Korea."

Repected Fiancee Attempts Starvation

BARI, Italy, Oct. 4 (AP)—"If you leave me, I'll die slowly before your eyes," said Chiari Divieste, 21, to her former fiancee.

Ruggero DiCorato, 25, didn't know how much she meant it. Chiari stood before his house for 48 hours, refusing food or wine. Then she fainted. Neighborhood women, solidly on her side, stormed DiCorato's house and tried to drag him out. Police rescued him.

Now Chiari is taking food and recuperating. Ruggero is silent.

Symington Calls for Retaliatory Force To Face Threat of Atomic Aggression

NEW YORK, Oct. 4 (AP)—Asserting first concern ought to be "the provision of an adequate retaliatory striking force, plus a reasonable level of air and civilian defense," before any decision is made on the feasibility of balancing the budget.

"Our atomic advantage is obviously vanishing," he said. "One doesn't need 50 guns to kill a man—or 500 nuclear bombs to kill a nation."

"The Soviet possesses both initiative and surprise. Those assets could be decisive in an A-war, or even worse, in an H-war. Is it not accurate to say, therefore, the Communists may well have the atomic advantage now?"

Symington, B'nai B'rith council here.

Symington, first secretary of the Air Force, declared America's atomic advantage is vanishing and added: "The great bulk of our defense chips should be placed on our capacity for instant and devastating atomic retaliation."

He complained that the Eisenhower administration has become "budget-minded and not survival-minded."

"Two weeks after the H-bomb announcement by the Soviet the Administration stated we were just around the corner from a balanced budget," he said.

"This position is taken even before the joint chiefs have concluded their 'new look' (at the Nation's Military Security plans). Therefore it would seem that, once again—an arbitrary, ceiling on our military posture has already been set."

The Missouri senator said the

30 Suspects Quizzed In Rape-Slayer Hunt

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 4 (AP)—Armed and edgy Dallas citizens reported seeing or shooting at eleven prowlers and peeping toms as the city-wide manhunt continued today for the rapist-killer of Mrs. R. C. Parker.

The only injury reported was a man who shot himself in the hand while unloading a shotgun after he had investigated a prowler outside his house. Officers meanwhile quizzed a long line of suspects in the rape and slaying the past Wednesday night of the 29-year-old maid store clerk.

Two of more than 30 suspects questioned were tagged "fairly promising" by homicide Capt. Will Fritz. Fritz also said that Mrs. Parker's slayer and a nude prowler reported several times recently were different persons.

"There are at least two men," Fritz told the Dallas Daily Times-Herald. "The prowler is an exhibitionist. I don't think he's the killer."

Before she died of a stab wound in her throat Mrs. Parker gasped that she had been raped and knifed. Rewards totaling about \$8000 have been offered for capture of the killer.

BIG THREE SETS LONDON MEETING FOR THIS WEEK

Delegates May Press Reds on German Unification

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4 (AP)—Representatives of the United States, Britain and France will gather in London this week to turn a big corner in negotiations with Russia on the future of Germany.

The critical question to be decided is whether to make another attempt to persuade the Soviets to join a Big Four conference on the unification of Germany and on Austrian independence, or to accept Russia's week-old note on the subject as a conclusive rejection of all reasonable efforts to arrange a meeting.

Thinking among US officials here indicates that although Russia ignored proposals for a foreign ministers' conference at Lugano, Switzerland, Oct. 15 the Western Powers will press Moscow once more for an agreement to meet on terms acceptable to the West.

It remains to be determined, however, whether they will exert this pressure through new notes or through a diplomatic channel like the United Nations.

IN ANY EVENT, there is no real hope expressed here that the Reds will change their attitude and say "yes."

Diplomats report a curious state of affairs between Moscow and Washington right now as far as negotiations are concerned.

The Russians seem to be extremely reluctant to undertake any serious negotiations at this time, perhaps because of reverses in Europe and the failure of the Reds to conquer Korea.

The Soviet note the past week linked the German problem with insistence upon a Five Power meeting, including Red China. It also brought in so many other issues as to set up conditions which the Western Powers promptly termed impossible.

President Tito Asserts Yugoslavia Will Not Retreat From Red Course

BJELOVAR, Yugoslavia, Oct. 4 (AP)—President Tito served firm notice today that there will be no retreat by Yugoslavia from its Communist course.

Simultaneously, he cautioned "reactionaries"—who he said are still active and hopeful of return to power—that their efforts would be punished severely if pressed.

Tito, wearing a scarlet and gold-trimmed powder blue uniform as the country's supreme commander, spoke before an audience officially estimated at nearly 200,000 here in this city, center of the Croatian wheat growing area.

The chilled thousands, many of whom began assembling long before dawn, stood for hours awaiting his appearance for a ceremony officially marking the tenth anniversary of the formation of the Zagreb crops of his partisan fighters in World War II.

Many of them never caught more than a glimpse of him. A thick fog blurred the visibility of the big stadium where the mass meeting was held. Only a comparative few of them could see Tito as he reviewed a guard of honor and chatted with youngsters who handed him bouquets of flowers.

For the second Sunday in a row, Yugoslavia's chief by-passed international affairs in order to concentrate on domestic problems.

There have been reports, although unofficial, that he has been

sidestepping discussion of foreign problems personally while awaiting a decision by the Big Three Western Powers—Britain, France and the United States—on methods for a possible settlement of Yugoslavia's seven-year-old feud with Italy on the future of Trieste.

Tito devoted his attention to Yugoslavia's coming country-wide elections in November, the first since 1951, to pick a new two-house Parliament under a constitutional change written into law earlier this year.

He denounced the "reactionaries" as "boils upon a healthy body" which he said had been developed during the post war period of his government.

He said "physicians"—meaning the ruling Communist party—had been called upon once to perform an operation to deal with the question.

Youth Finds Chivalry Can Lead to Trouble

DES MOINES, Oct. 4 (AP)—Chivalry is fine but it can go too far, James Beeman, 23, of Des Moines has learned.

Beeman and another man were walking across the Des Moines river bridge with a woman companion early yesterday when her purse fell from her coat pocket into the water.

Beeman jumped into the river to retrieve it. He got the purse but was met at the river bank by police, who had been summoned by the woman.

The drenched man was taken to jail and fined \$5 on an intoxication charge.

Washing Machine Handles Everything

ALTON, Ill., Oct. 4 (AP)—Mrs. W. C. Beiser Jr., wasn't concerned about two young neighbor children playing in the basement of her home. Then she heard a suspicious "swish, swish."

The children were gone when she reached the basement but the automatic washing machine was running. Mrs. Beiser turned it off and was ready to return upstairs when, from inside the machine, came a "snorting and burping" sound.

There was Randy, a five-week-old puppy, in four inches of water and cleans as a whistle.

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Several Departments Get New Equipment, General Renovating

Well, school is in operation again after three Summer months of pupil inactivity. Many changes have taken place in and around the building. Have you noticed them? If not, here they are:

The home economics room is equipped with two new electric ranges and a new electric mixer and juicer. Six new typewriters, an electric adding machine and a liquid duplicator have been added for the use of commercial pupils. The shop has been painted and a new tool closet provided. Redecorating and a backstage cyclorama improved the appearance of the stage in the auditorium.

Fresh paint was applied to the boys' and girls' locker rooms, shower room, the lower corridor, the boiler room, exteriors of outside doors, outdoor bleachers and all playground equipment. Landscaping improved the appearance of the school grounds; the land surrounding the parking lot has been seeded and the driveway macadamized.

When basketball season rolls around, three portable bleachers will be installed in the gym. The new bleachers are now on order and should arrive in ample time for the opening of the basketball season.

Officers Are Named By Teachers' Group

The first meeting of West Pottsgrove Teachers' association for the current year was held in September.

Mr. Walter Trout, retiring president, called the meeting to order after which the nominating committee made a report.

Members voted and elected the following officers for the new term:

President, Mrs. Anne Wentzel; vice president, Mr. Charles Kazmerovitz; secretary, Mrs. Beatrice Koppenhaver; treasurer, Mrs. Celia Haines.

West Pottsgrove Faculty Holds Picnic at Area Park

Members of the faculty of West Pottsgrove township enjoy an afternoon of recreation and relaxation at a picnic during September in Montgomery County park.

Committees were as follows: Refreshments—Mrs. Schaefer, Mrs. Bolinsky, Mrs. Koppenhaver.

Recreation—Miss Nein, Miss Lieberman; clean-up—Mr. Kazmerovitz, Mr. Trout, Mr. Gress.

Mayor, Council Cowed

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Oct. 4 (P)—For years it's been against the law to park on the streets here between midnight and 6 a. m. The idea was to help the street sweepers, but no one paid any attention.

Suddenly the police started enforcing the law. Parked cars were towed to a garage. Then, the howls went up.

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West Pottsgrove High Senior Class To Present Its Annual Play Oct. 15

At 8 p. m. Thursday, Oct. 15, members of the Senior class will present their annual play in the auditorium of West Pottsgrove Township High School.

The play, "The Dizzy Dillons," written by Barry Heenan, is a farce-comedy in three acts.

The cast is as follows: June Babcock, a 16-year-old girl who is always changing her name—Joan Polischek; Will Babcock, a lazy, gangling young man of 17—Paul Yarmush; Laura Babcock, a mother in her 40s—Joan Egolf; Joe Babcock, Laura's husband who is always acting like a big shot businessman—Dale Wert.

Polly Dillon, a 17-year-old girl—Dorothy Reider; Richard Dillon, Polly Dillon's twin brother—George Polins; Dolly Dillon, an attractive and energetic girl of 16—Peggy Edwards; Peggy Holden, an adventurous girl of 16—Helen Abrams.

Dora Townsend, a 17-year-old girl—Dolores Birard; Ella Townsend, president of the town's Ladies' league—Yvonne Soltes; Mrs. Wesley, a short little woman—Marlene Lenhardt; Charles Townsend, the town's big business man—Dick Levengood.

The public is invited to see the play.

MAN KILLED IN CRASH

PHILIPSBURG, Oct. 4 (P)—Andrew Bogi of Grassflat was killed last night when his auto plunged off an embankment on a rural road near here. His wife, Anna, 28, and two sons, James, 7, and David, 3, were admitted to a hospital in serious condition.

Pupils Choose Their Class Officers

The following class officers were selected in each grade:

Eleventh: president, Nelson Levengood; vice president, Frank Gambino; secretary, Marie Plasco; treasurer, Darlene Bauer.

Tenth: president, Patricia Polastre; vice president, Lucille Tufant; secretary, Nancy Geyer; treasurer, Doris Derrick.

Ninth: president, Joanne Geisler; vice president, Kenneth Sekellick; secretary, Janice Weaver; treasurer, Edward Short.

Eighth: president, William Slaby; vice president, Douglas Brunner;

secretary, Barbara Christman; treasurer, Charles Levengood.

Seventh: president, Robert Basile; vice president, Wynona Elson; secretary, Elaine Krigolo; treasurer, Geraldine Harp.

WOMAN DIES AT GAME

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 4 (P)—Valerian S. Gutowski, 46, Beaver Falls, suffered a heart attack and died at Forbes field last night just before the end of the National Football league game in which the Pittsburgh Steelers triumphed over the New York Giants, 24-14.

Two State Troopers Receive Promotions

HARRISBURG, Oct. 4 (P)—State Police Lts. James F. Maroney,

Greensburg, and Frank Milligan, Erie, have been promoted to the rank of captain.

In announcing the promotions, Col. C. M. Wilhelm, State police commissioner, said Maroney will be reassigned to Washington, Pa., but will remain temporarily on assigned duty at the Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh. Milligan, he said, will continue as commanding officer at Erie.

Race Track Hearing Postponed 'Few Days'

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Oct. 4 (P)—Judge Harry E. Watkins,

postponed "for a few days" the decision on whether Wheeling Downs Race track may hold a 21-day meeting beginning Nov. 5.

Watkins announced his decision after a conference with William G. Lias, track manager; Carl O. Schmidt, track receiver, and David Goldberg, track auditor.

The State Racing commission has granted permission for the meeting. Track officers told the

judge they might lose the dates in the future if they were not fulfilled this fall.

Watkins' approval is required because the track now is in Federal hands, pending the decision on the government's tax lien against Lias.

EDEN RETURNS TO POST

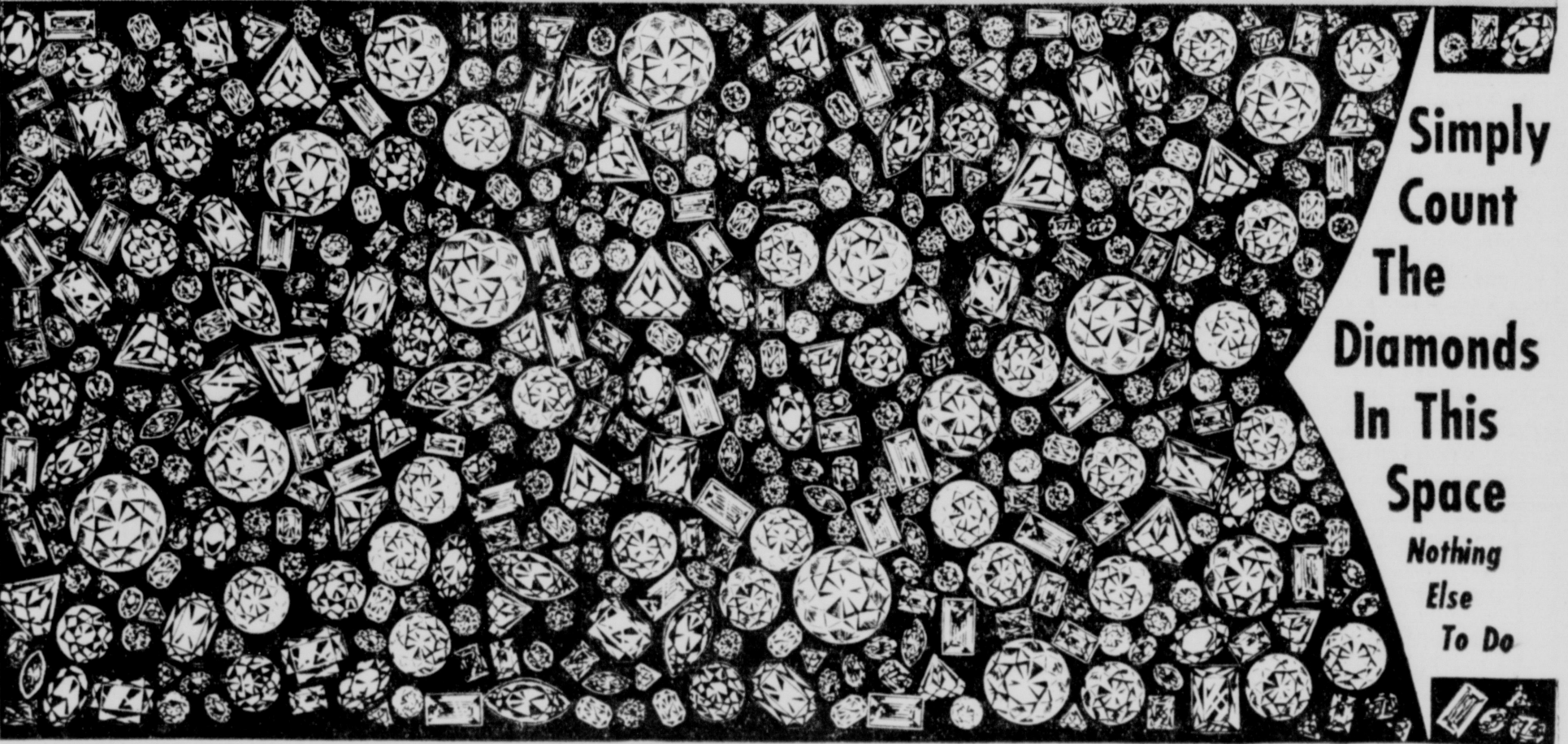
LONDON, Oct. 4 (P)—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden takes over the British foreign office tomorrow after six months' absence because of illness.

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OCTOBER 5-6-7

Trip to Niagara Falls Follows Double Ring Ceremony Uniting Nancy Alice Frocke and Charles H. Hallman



RESIDING in Pottstown, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harry Hallman were married recently in St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church. The bride is the former Nancy Alice Frocke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Frocke, 44 East Second street. The groom's mother is Mrs. Clara Hallman, Pottstown RD 1.

St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church was the scene of a double ring ceremony that united in marriage Nancy Alice Frocke, 44 East Second street, and Charles Harry Hallman, Pottstown RD 1. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Frocke, 44 East Second street, are the parents of the bride. Mother of the bridegroom is Mrs. Clara Hallman, Pottstown RD 1.

The Rev. C. W. Ebbert officiated before an altar decorated with palms, ferns, white chrysanthemums and candleabra.

Mrs. Charles Stout presented a recital of nuptial music before the ceremony. Robert Sidler sang "Because," "O Perfect Love" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of rose point Chantilly lace and permanently pleated nylon

Tulle. The portrait neckline was edged with pleating and lace appliques.

Long tapered sleeves were pointed over the wrist. A bouffant skirt fell over a series of petticoats and extended into a train.

A Dior cloche encrusted with pearls anchored the bride's nylon tulle veil which was edged with matching lace appliques.

She wore a pearl necklace and earring set, a gift of the bridegroom, and carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid.

Peggy Frocke as maid of honor was gowned in white lace and nylon tulle over pale blue. The bodice was styled with a portrait neckline and shirred cap sleeves.

A flounce of lace enhanced the bouffant skirt. Her lace cloche

and mitts matched the gown. She carried an old-fashioned bouquet of pink, blue and white carnations tied with pink streamers.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Ronald Leidy, Boyertown, Mrs. Angy Pomponio, and Delores Frocke, both of Pottstown. Their gowns were styled identical to that of the maid of honor but had pale pink underskirts. Each carried an old-fashioned bouquet.

John Hallman, Spring City RD 1, served as best man. Ushers were: Fred Morton, Elverson RD 1; Thomas Guest, Nantmeal; and Charles Loomis, Glen Moore.

The mother of the bride chose a navy blue lace dress with pink hat and gloves. Mrs. Hallman was attired in a navy blue lace dress with a matching hat and pink gloves. Both

wore corsages of pink carnations.

A reception for 150 guests in the church social room followed the ceremony. Candles and ivy decorated the bridal table.

Upon their return from a wedding trip to Niagara Falls the newlyweds will be at home at 44 East Second street.

For going-away the bride wore a gray flannel dress with accents of yellow suede and a yellow hat. Pinned on her dress was the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

Out-of-town guests attended the wedding from Coatesville, Philadelphia and New Jersey. The bride was graduated from the Pottstown High school with the class of 1950. She is employed in the office of the Jacobs Aircraft Engine company.

Mr. Hallman is employed by Welsh and Renninger, contractors.

Dried Leaves, Soup Bones, Apple Branches Included in Exhibits at Club Luncheon

The Brookside Country club was the scene of the luncheon held by the Pottstown Garden club the past Friday.

After the pledge of allegiance to the flag, the Rev. George Eichorn sang the "Lord's Prayer." Other selections sung by the Rev. Eichorn were "Without a Song" and "I Believe." He was accompanied by Mrs. Hazel Rutter.

A short business meeting followed the luncheon.

Prizes were awarded for exhibits during the year. In the arrangement class Mrs. William Schultz won first prize; Mrs. Santino di Girolamo, second.

In the horticulture class, first prize was won by Mrs. William Schultz; other prizes went to Mrs. Harold B. Binder, Mrs. Wilmer Knight and Mrs. Edwin Yarnall.

Fifty members had exhibited during the year.

Mrs. E. C. Phelps, Jenkintown, who exhibits at the Philadelphia Flower show, was the guest speaker.

She showed several unusual flower arrangements. The first one featured a turquoise vase with Chinese lanterns and pine. The figure of a Japanese man completed the hall arrangement.

The second arrangement had three dried leaves and little hen chickens with the figure of a deer in back of it.

A wooden container was the basis of the third arrangement which consisted of orange celosia, rose seed pods, yellow zinnias and green leaves with a pussy cat at the base.

Soup bones were the unique ornaments of the fourth arrangement. They were used as a container with blue spruce, wisteria stems and empress tree buds. At the base were two Japanese horsemen.

The outstanding features of the fifth arrangement were a snail shell, apple branches, red leaves, white dahlies and pink rose seed pods. They were placed upon a piece of driftwood. At the base of the snail shell was a fish bone in the form of a butterfly.

The club room was decorated with flowers which the members had donated from their gardens.

With the reading of an Edgar Guest poem by the president, the meeting closed. Seventy-one members and twenty guests attending the affair.

Next meeting will be held Nov. 6 at the home of Mrs. Harry L. Christman, Frederick.

+++ WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES +++

Social Calendar

YMCA auxiliary—meets at 8 p. m. in the YMCA building

Pottstown Hospital Senior auxiliary—meets at 1:15 in the nurses' home.

Ladies auxiliary of the Knights of Columbus—meets at 8 p. m. in the club room.

Episcopal Women's club of Christ Episcopal church—meets at 8 p. m. in the parish house of a Hallowe'en party. Members are to attend masked.

Executive board of the Rupert PTA—meets at 8 p. m. in the home of H. Bert Shaw, 1318 High street.

Golden Rule class of the First Baptist church—meets at 8 p. m. in the church.

Brownies of troop 29, Emmanuel Lutheran church—meet at 4 p. m. in the church.

Ladies Bible class of Emmanuel Lutheran church—meets at 8 p. m. in the church.

Brownies of St. James Lutheran church—meet at 3:45 p. m. in the church.

Girl Scouts of St. Peter's Lutheran church, Stowe—meet at 7:30 p. m. in the church.

Chapel choir of Transfiguration Lutheran church—meets at 7 p. m. in the church.

Commission on membership and evangelism, First Methodist church—meets at 7 p. m. in the church.

WSOS of the First Methodist church—meets at 7:45 p. m. in the parsonage for a study class.

Girl Scouts of troop 5, First Presbyterian church—meets at 4 p. m. in the church.

Pottstown Hospital Junior auxiliary—meets at 8 p. m. in the nurses' home.

Representatives From Three Counties Will Be Guests at Century Club Lunch

Members of the Century club are busy preparing for their opening luncheon and reciprocity day to be held at the Brookside Country club Wednesday at 12:30.

Program for the afternoon will consist of "Tales of the Celtic Renaissance," by Rosalba Joy. Musical selections will be given by the trio.

Mrs. Richard Leh, chairman of the program committee and the following aides arranged for the entertainment: Mrs. Donald S. Cochran, Mrs. Paul L. Diefenderfer, Mrs. Harry C. Shope, Mrs. Leon S. Swavely and Mrs. Jack R. Wennersten.

A short but very important business meeting conducted by Mrs. John A. Barlow, president, will precede the program.

There will be 31 guests from out of town to participate in the luncheon and program with the club members. Three counties, Chester, Berks and Montgomery, are represented in the acceptances to the reciprocity luncheon.

Also present will be four officers from the Montgomery county Federation of Women's clubs.

Twenty-seven acceptances have been received from presidents and past presidents of other clubs in the district.

Past presidents of the Century club are acting as hostesses and will help the president receive the guests for the day.

Past president hostesses are: Mrs. Francis L. Lavertu, Mrs. David Todd Jones, Mrs. John B. Evans, Mrs. Alex V. Tisdale, Mrs. Frank S. Anderson, Mrs. Charles A. Baylor, Mrs. Russell H. Shelley, Mrs. Harry L. Christman, Mrs. Carson C. Potter and Mrs. Leon W. Swavely.

Responsible for the luncheon arrangements are Mrs. C. Raymond Eppheimer, chairman of the hospitality committee, and her co-chairmen, Mrs. Arthur S. Kepner, Mrs. Walter R. Neiman and the members of the committee.

Chairman, Mrs. Maurice Mosheim, and her co-chairman, Mrs. Howard Bartholomew, assisted by members of the decorating committee are busy planning colorful floral arrangements for the luncheon tables.

Betty R. Beswick Becomes Bride in Double Ring Nuptials

Trinity Reformed church was the scene of Saturday's wedding uniting Betty R. Beswick, 42 King street, and Ralph D. Supplee of the same address.

Approximately 50 guests were present at the double ring nuptials performed by the Rev. John B. Frantz.

To be married, the bride wore a turquoise blue suit dress with brown accessories and accented with a pink carnation corsage.

Ethel Galloway, the bride's sister, was her maid of honor. She wore a plum-colored dress with a pink carnation and baby's breath corsage.

Joshua March of Millersburg performed the duties of the best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at 42 King street.

The newlyweds are spending their two-week honeymoon in New York, Lewistown and Washington, D. C. To begin their travels the bride wore a brown ensemble.

They will be at home at 42 King street after Oct. 17.

Mr. Supplee is a station operator at the gas plant of the Philadelphia Electric company.

Out-of-town guests attended the wedding from Philadelphia, New York, Washington, Millersburg and Lewistown.

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Admitted: George Reichelderfer, 870 North Evans street, medical; Sandra Snyder, 301 Canal road, Kenilworth, surgical; Grace Hoffman, Hall and Church streets, Spring City, surgical; Thelma Ellis, Boyertown RD 2, surgical; Mrs. Norma Paup, 315 South street, maternity; Mrs. Betty Hessler, Pottstown RD 3, maternity; Helen Guss, 424 York street, medical; George Hiddeman, 1388 Street street, surgical; W. J. Kramer, Royersford RD 1, medical; Mrs. Helen Supco, 714 Center street, Stowe, maternity; Curtis Brown Jr., Hilldale, medical; Charles Quay, Pottstown RD 2, surgical; Harry E. Seiler, Pottstown RD 3, medical; Carolyn Epler, 220 Penn street, medical.

Discharged: Florence Detwiler, 562 King street, surgical; Mrs. Elizabeth Homiak, Pottstown RD 2, maternity; Paul Osapinski, 435 Fifth avenue, Royersford, medical; Bertha Price, Penn Village, medical; Mrs. Erma Frye, 23 Grosstown road, Stowe, maternity; Mrs. Betty Jane Welsh, 1000 Schuylkill road, Kenilworth, maternity; Mattie Nichols, 242 Washington street, Royersford, medical; Mrs. Fern Nesley, Pottstown RD 2, maternity; Betty Yost, 650 Fourth avenue, Royersford, surgical; Mrs. Adeline Grant, 702 South Reading avenue, Boyertown, maternity; Kathryn Feight, 661 Walnut street, surgical; Thelma Wohley, Schwenksville RD 1, surgical.

Golden Ageds Will Meet At YWCA This Afternoon

The weekly meeting of the Pottstown Golden Age club will be held today in the gym of the YWCA from 2 to 4 p. m. All persons, in and around Pottstown, who are 60 years of age and older are invited to attend this activity sponsored by the Pottstown Recreation commission.

It was announced that those members interested in working on cancer dressings should meet at the YWCA tomorrow afternoon from 1:30 to 3:30 o'clock. Another get-together will be held Tuesday, Oct. 13, and from then on every other Tuesday. Anyone interested in helping should come to these get-togethers, club officials urged.

At today's meeting, the members will enjoy group singing, cards, table games, fellowship, and refreshments prepared and served by the Business and Professional Women's club of Pottstown.

Only 19 states have laws requiring the administration of vision tests in schools, according to the American Optometric Association.

Convention Delegates Will Be Appointed By the President at Next WCTU Meeting

The October meeting of the Pottstown Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. in the parlor of the Searles Memorial church.

Theme of the meeting is "Advancement With Total Abstinence."

The worship service is in charge of Mrs. Joseph Conway and Mrs. Edgar Ebert.

The Rev. Morris Hoover, pastor of the host church, will give greetings to the group.

Don Roth, Reading, secretary of the American Temperance Society for Eastern Pennsylvania, will give a lecture illustrated by temperance films.

A chapter of the study book, "The American Way—the Temperance Reformation of 1813-55," will be reviewed by Mrs. W. F. Maloney.

A White Ribbon recruit service will be conducted by the president, Laura R. Ecker. "Union Signal News Flashers," will be given by Mrs. Roy Kinckner. The president will be in charge of the business meeting.

Committees for the county convention to be held Oct. 15

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Peel two large oranges. Remove seeds and the white membranes beneath the skin, but save the peellings. Then put the rind and pulp through the medium blade of your food chopper along with four cups of raw cranberries.

Mix thoroughly with 1 1/2 cups of granulated sugar. Store in a covered jar in your refrigerator.

in the First Methodist church of Pottstown, will be appointed by Miss Ecker.

During the meeting knitted squares will be received for the afghan being made for the Coatesville General hospital.

Members as well as their friends are invited to attend the session.

VFW Auxiliary Slates November Party At Coatesville

Arrangements were made for a party at Coatesville hospital for 43 women patients at the past week's meeting of the Ladies' auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 780.

The party will be held Nov. 1 between 2 and 4 p. m.

A donation was also made to the field day at Coatesville hospital.

The pig in the box prize was won by Catherine Rightmire.

The next social and business meeting has been scheduled for Oct. 15 at the home of Freda Steely, 73 East Second street.

The first paint color actually to be compounded from inorganic substances was the so-called "Egyptian blue" which was sold as early as 3000 B. C.

Indian Bred Pastor To Speak at Local PTA

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Members of the Gilbertville Fire company Ladies' auxiliary enjoyed their annual Halloween party held in the fire hall, with many prizes awarded.

The various categories and winners were as follows: Prettiest single person, Mrs. Marian Buchak; prettiest couple, Mrs. Eleanor Trullinger and Mrs. Lloise Schwebel; funniest single person, Mrs. June Mullen; funniest couple, Mrs. Beulah Heiny and Susan Heiny; fattest single person, Mrs. Helen W. Geiger; fattest couple, Mrs. Irene Campbell and Mrs. Dorothy Blank.

The ugliest person, Mrs. Janette Nester; most original, Mrs. Helen O. Geiger. Two pig-in-box awards were made to Mrs. Carrie Fryer and Mrs. Jane Mattern.

During the business session, in charge of the president, Mrs. Lloise Schwebel, the acceptance into the membership of Mrs. Emma Mathias, Gilbertville RD, was approved.

MRS. SCHWEBEL appointed the following committees for next month's meeting: Entertainment, Mrs. Betty Frey and Mrs. Anna Reinert; refreshment, Mrs. June Mullen, Mrs. Jane Mattern, Mrs. Marie Fegley, Mrs. Helen O. Geiger and Mrs. Eleanor Trullinger. At that meeting, the members will conduct a hat social.

A bus will be leaving from the fire hall on Tuesday, Oct. 20, for Philadelphia where the members will witness a television show. Anyone desiring to make the trip is requested to contact Mrs. Grace Hartenstein.

The auxiliary is also making plans to have Tom Moorehead come to Gilbertville to present a special show.

Mrs. Virginia Linsinger announced that a merchandise display will be held today from 4 to 9:30 p. m., in the fire hall. She invited all members to witness the display.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Services for JACOB P. DOTTERER, husband of the late Emma M. (Beidler) Dotterer, near Earlville, BOYERTOWN, RD 2, were held from the Schwenk funeral home, 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, Saturday at 3 p. m. Further services were held in Salem Reformed church, Spangville, with the Rev. Earl G. Wolford, pastor, officiating.

Interment was made in the Oley Church cemetery, Spangville. Bearers were six grandsons, Norman Hess, Kenneth Hess, Lloyd Trate, Ronald Dotterer, Gordon Dotterer and Rowan Fritz.

Lodge Plans Dinner

Many committee members of the Loyal Rebekah Lodge 593 and Independent Order of Odd Fellows Lodge 708, Boyertown, met to make final plans for their third annual turkey dinner.

The event will be held Sunday, Nov. 8, in the Odd Fellows building, 35 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown.

Boyertown Classified

Deaths
ROHRBACH—In Reading, on Thursday, Oct. 1, 1953, Henry H. Rohrbach, 41, of Philadelphia, Pa. Relatives and friends are invited to the service from the Schwenk Funeral Home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment in Huffs Church cemetery. Friends may call on Sunday evening 7 to 9. (Schwenk)

Card of Thanks
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The team won 12 out of 15 games it played on Brancote

field.
In the top row are, left to right, John Roth, Dave Mauger, Joseph Barkel, Fred Gephart, Dick Hornberger, and Ed Mauger (Dave's brother).

In the lower row are, left to right, Sam Yerger, Amos Haws, Baker, who was assistant manager, Earl Kirlin and Bob Mauger (a third brother).

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Local, Area Estates Confirmed by Court

A local and two area estates were among 15 in which President Judge Frederick A. Marx, Orphans' court, Berks county, confirmed the accounts and ordered distribution during the past week.

Irwin H. Gilbert, 132 North Walnut street, Boyertown, had a balance of \$12,413.79 distributed to the National Bank of Boyertown, executor of the estate of Louisa S. Gilbert. H. Leon Breidenbach is the attorney.

Warren H. Gehris, New Berlinville, Colebrookdale township, had a balance of \$18,255.87 distributed as follows: St. John's Evangelical (Hill) Reformed church, \$100; Christ Evangelical and Reformed church, Niantic, \$100; Amanda Y. Gehris, in her own right and as assignee of Helen Houck and Robert Houck, \$18,055.87 and real estate appraised at \$4750. H. Leon Breidenbach is the attorney.

Solomon K. DeTurk, Oley, a balance of \$14,628.87 distributed as follows: impounded for tombstones, \$350, and for taxes, \$500; to Annie Hafer, Edna DeTurk and Elsie Hartline, \$3444.72 each, and Eli R. DeTurk, \$3444.71. Thomas W. Leidy is the attorney.

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Boyertown Auxiliary Of Hospital Will Meet

The regular monthly meeting of the Boyertown auxiliary of Pottstown hospital will be held tomorrow at 7:30 p. m. in the Community center, 314 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, with the president, Mrs. Calvin Yoh, in charge.

Hostesses for the meeting are Mrs. J. Willis Schultz and Mrs. Frank Renninger.

Lois Bannerman To Perform Tonight

When the lovely blond harpist, Lois Bannerman, appears in the Boyertown Joint High school auditorium tonight, a new experience—a harp recital—will greet the majority of those who attend.

Most communities where Miss Bannerman appears demand a re-appearance. Her appearance in Boyertown is under the sponsorship of the Boyertown Area Celebrity Concert association of which Gerald R. Grabert is president.

Grabert stressed last night that only paid memberships may attend.

Lou Costellos Announce Engagement of Daughter

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 4 (P)—Engagement of the 17-year-old daughter of comedian Lou Costello was announced today.

Mr. and Mrs. Costello disclosed their daughter, Patricia, will marry James Cardinet, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cardinet of nearby Van Nuys.

Mrs. Costello said the couple probably will be wed shortly before Cardinet is released from the Army in about a year. He is stationed at Ft. Ord. Patricia is a Senior at Marymount High school.

A Scotsman, Dr. William Cullen, is credited with the invention of the first machine for the manufacture of artificial ice.

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Edward F. Watson, Gilbertsville.

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George Tunnell, Pottstown RD 3.

Mrs. William Gangaway, Pottstown RD 4.

Robert W. Bechtel, Pottstown RD 1.

Johnny Lee Schaeffer, Linfield.

Ronald Confinio, 130 South Franklin street, 10 years old.

Larry E. Endy, Boyertown RD 1.

Cathryn M. Sanders, Salford.

Sterling Fronheiser, Box 37, Barto.

Ronald B. Bieber, Oley, 4 years old.

Ester M. Carl, Spring City RD 1.

George Levengood, 50 Warwick Settlement.

Jo Ann Ellison, Unit C1, Penn Village, 6 years old.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Bonita Drumheller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Drumheller, Sanatoga, 7 years old.

Joanne M. Liss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Liss, Pruss Hill road, 8 years old.

Edith Mitchell, Pottstown RD 1, 19 years old.

Mrs. Catherine Yorgey, 43 West Fourth street.

John C. Graves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Graves, 915 South street.

Ferne Moyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Moyer, Monocacy station.

Kenneth O. Linderman, 853 South street.

Viola Dimino, 971 North Hills boulevard.

Spencer Smale, 606 Farmington avenue.

John Beidler, 151 North Hanover street.

C. Russell Shively, 815 North Evans street.

Robert Roderic John Jr., Pottstown RD 3, 9 years old.

Mrs. John Schirk, Spring Mount.

Robert W. Ellis, Boyertown RD 2, 4 years old.

Ester Snyder, Barto.

Elaine Krigolo, 525 Berks street, Slowe, 12 years old.

Bruce Alan Boughter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Boughter, Englewood RD, 7 years old.

Phyllis Levengood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Levengood, Box 72, Pottstown RD 1, 10 years old.

Brooke S. Binder Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Brooke S. Binder, 843 Franklin street.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Mervyn Wunderlich, Dennis Fedyk

Joe Elane, 112 North Evans street.

Mrs. Lerby Stillings, 359 Walnut street.

Sandra Messer, 836 Queen street, 1 year old.

Randall Harry Smith, Spring City, 3 years old.

Isaac C. Yoder, Barto, 92 years old.

Corporal Thomas B. Roup, 52 West Fourth street.

Jacob Fleisch Jr., son of Jacob Fleisch, 406 Lincoln avenue.

Pfc. Edward Saylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Saylor, 358 Apple street.

Stanley Lightcap, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lightcap, Pottstown RD 4, 15 years old.

Betty E. Seasholtz, 169 North Franklin street.

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Engineering Is Promising Field for Girls With a Real Love of Scientific Things

By ARTHUR EDSON (AP Newsfeatures Writer)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4 (AP) — College girls everywhere are trooping back to school these days, and Katharine Stinson hopes many of them plan to study engineering.

For Miss Stinson is president of the Society of Women Engineers, a nationwide organization of ladies who will fight at the drop of a monkey wrench any idea that girls can't be as good engineers as men. "Better in some jobs," Miss Stinson said firmly.

The society has around 400 members, and this year it's trying to encourage girls to enter such professions as electrical, mechanical or civil engineering.

Miss Stinson thinks there are two reasons why so many girls never even think of engineering as a possible career.

To many, she thinks, an engineer is a tough guy wearing boots, bossing a construction job. Yet many an engineering position calls for a steady diet of desk work, at which, Miss Stinson feels, a girl may shine.

Secondly, she feels too many people are convinced an engineer has to be a mathematical genius. Miss S. thinks that angle is overstressed. What's important, she

Oddly, there's a demand for women engineers, yet the number of sweet young girl engineering graduates is decreasing steadily.

All women engineers are occupational descendants of Edith Julia Griswold, electrical engineer, New York City Normal, 1886.

After Edith Julia, the supply of girl engineers remained steady, but few. Not until World War II was there a pronounced change in the pattern. Then the demand for engineers became so great that some companies even paid the tuition for girls of promise.

The peak came in 1948, with 191 girl engineering graduates. That number has fallen off until last Spring only 80 girls were graduated in engineering.

Miss Stinson, who has a boyish grin that recalls the late Amelia Earhart, is proof enough that a girl can do all right in the business.

Twelve years ago when she got out of North Carolina State's first and, as far as she knows, its only girl engineering graduate — she headed for the Civil Aeronautics Administration.

The CAA never has hired another woman engineer, but the one it did hire has become head of its specifications division.

For Miss Stinson, the path of aeronautical engineering was as straight as the crow flies or the stratosphere cruiser.

To her parents' consternation, when she was a youngster in Raleigh, N. C., she used to hang around the airport. She learned to take a plane apart, and, possibly more important, put it back together. When she was 16, she learned to fly one.

"I always was crazy about airplanes," she said. "Still am."

So if your daughter has a scientific or mechanical bent and maybe likes to look around hangars, let her lurk. Miss Stinson proves it may pay off.

Morning Ceremony Unites Nancy Brower, Robert Swavely Jr.

Nancy Jane Brower became the bride of Robert Levengood Swavely Jr. at a double ring ceremony performed Saturday in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Birdsboro.

The Rev. James Burgoyne officiated at the morning nuptials.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brower, Douglassville RD 1. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swavely, Pottstown RD 1.

A pale pink ballerina length gown was the bride's choice as her wedding dress. With it she wore silver slippers, a small white veiled hat and a single strand of pearls. Her corsage was of yellow roses.

Joseph Schutz, uncle of the groom, gave the bride in marriage and was also best man.

Mrs. Joseph Schutz was the matron of honor. She wore a pale lavender ballerina length gown with silver slippers. Her corsage was also of yellow roses.

Both the bride and the groom attended North Coventry High school. He is a member of their 1952 graduating class and is presently working as a carpenter.

The newly married couple is residing at 645 Chestnut street.

Marriage Licenses

Application for marriage license was made in the Berks county courthouse, Reading, by:

Donald L. Moyer, Gilbertsville, and Shirley R. Hoppes, Shanesville.

Application for marriage license was made in the Montgomery county courthouse, Norristown, by:

Fred C. Griesemer, 381 State street, and Annie Scheffley, 1031 Queen street, both of Pottstown.

Application for marriage licenses were made in the Chester county courthouse, West Chester, by:

William R. Carey, Phoenixville, and Elizabeth M. Kuchma, Mont Clare.

Allen Beiler, Elverson, and Florence A. Howe, East Vincent.

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Teenagers Display Bizarre Outfits At 'Come As You Are' Breakfast

Gym suits, night gowns and pajamas were nothing out of the ordinary in the way of dress at the Memorial Hospital Teenagers' "Come as you are" breakfast, Saturday morning.

Notification of the affair was given to the members late Friday night and early Saturday morning. . . and, you had to dress for the breakfast as you were when you received the news.

One girl attended in a hockey suit, another had on a blouse, but no skirt, and one lass appeared with one shoe off and one shoe on!

Between 30 and 40 girls attended the affair held in the nurses' home at 8 a. m.

Roberta McMann and her committee were in charge of the breakfast. Refreshments were served by Elizabeth Yankovich and Nancy Loughney.

Following the repast the surgical group wrapped bandages for three hours.

Yesterday afternoon the group met for its regular monthly meeting. Ann Maxwell, president, was in charge.

Miss Dorothy Hogan, a representative from the Norristown Bell Telephone office was presented the program entitled, "Your Voice Is You."

The audience heard recordings of good and bad voices, listened to recordings of their own voices and received pamphlets on exercises to improve their speech.

Eleven new members were present at the meeting. They were: Carole Dininni, Louise Fakete, Nancy Schurr, Carol Swartzkoph, Lucille Mest, Ruth Slavek, Jane Wetherhold, Rosemary Lignelli, Eleanor Frech, Marie Erb and Ruth Gaugler.

Plans are also being made for the next meeting of the group which will feature a fashion show. The affair will be held the first or second Sunday in November at the YWCA.

Brownie Troop 23 Makes Dolls From Acorns and Leaves

The making of dolls to resemble themselves was the highlight of the Saturday meeting of Brownie troop 23. The dolls, made from acorns and leaves, were painted and assembled by the girls. They will be on display during Girl Scout week.

The meeting was held at 1:30 at the First Presbyterian church.

Leader for the flag ceremony was Diane Kendig.

Color bearers were Gail Schneider and Cynthia Griffith; color guards included Sally Clapp, Barbara Berger, Leslie Maloney and Beth Henricks.

They closed with the friendship circle taps and the Girl Scout benediction.

Others present were Sherry Boyer, Suzanne Clapp, Helen Clair Frederick, Gail Hart, Peggy Missimer, Barbara Mohler, Marsha Moyer, Mary Rowland, JoAnn Schumacher, Kathryn Senevich, Anita Sorg, Olga Symanovich, Jane and Kathryn Weikel, Susan Williams and Mary Jo Zukoski.

Visitors present were Jane Keene, Carol Jones and Gail Peterman.

Leaders were: Mary Keller, Helen Spangenberg and Doris Malone.

YMCA Pool Opens Today

Mrs. William Eagle, swimming instructor at the YWCA, has announced that the repairs on the YMCA pool have been completed and beginning tonight there will be swimming every Monday night for girls and adults from 7 to 8 p. m.

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Several Departments Get New Equipment, General Renovating

Well, school is in operation again after three Summer months of pupil inactivity. Many changes have taken place in and around the building. Have you noticed them? If not, here they are:

The home economics room is equipped with two new electric ranges and a new electric mixer and juicer. Six new typewriters, an electric adding machine and a liquid duplicator have been added for the use of commercial pupils. The shop has been painted and a new tool closet provided. Redecorating and a backstage cyclorama improved the appearance of the stage in the auditorium.

Fresh paint was applied to the boys' and girls' locker rooms, shower room, the lower corridor, the boiler room, exteriors of outside doors, outdoor bleachers and all playground equipment. Landscaping improved the appearance of the school grounds; the land surrounding the parking lot has been seeded and the driveway macadamized.

When basketball season rolls around, three portable bleachers will be installed in the gym. The new bleachers are now on order and should arrive in ample time for the opening of the basketball season.

Officers Are Named By Teachers' Group

The first meeting of West Pottsgrove Teachers' association for the current year was held in September.

Mr. Walter Trout, retiring president, called the meeting to order after which the nominating committee made a report.

Members voted and elected the following officers for the new term: President, Mrs. Anne Wentzel; vice president, Mr. Charles Kazmerovitz; secretary, Mrs. Beatrice Koppenhaver; treasurer, Mrs. Celia Haines.

West Pottsgrove Faculty Holds Picnic at Area Park

Members of the faculty of West Pottsgrove township enjoy an afternoon of recreation and relaxation at a picnic during September in Montgomery County park.

Committees were as follows: Refreshments—Mrs. Schaefer, Mrs. Bolinsky, Mrs. Koppenhaver. Recreation—Miss Nein, Miss Lieberman; clean-up—Mr. Kazmerovitz, Mr. Trout, Mr. Gress.

Mayor, Council Cowed

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Oct. 4 (P)—For years it's been against the law to park on the streets here between midnight and 6 a. m. The idea was to help the street sweepers, but no one paid any attention. Suddenly the police started enforcing the law. Parked cars were towed to a garage. Then, the howls went up.

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West Pottsgrove High Senior Class To Present Its Annual Play Oct. 15

At 8 p. m. Thursday, Oct. 15, members of the Senior class will present their annual play in the auditorium of West Pottsgrove Township High school.

The play, "The Dizzy Dillons," written by Barry Heenan, is a farce-comedy in three acts.

The cast is as follows: June Babcock, a 16-year-old girl who is always changing her name—Joan Polischeck; Will Babcock, a lazy, gangling young man of 17—Paul Yarmush; Laura Babcock, a mother in her 40s—Joan Egolf; Joe Babcock, Laura's husband who is always acting like a big shot business man—Dale Wert.

Polly Dillon, a 17-year-old girl—Dorothy Reider; Richard Dillon, Polly Dillon's twin brother—George Polins; Dolly Dillon, an attractive and energetic girl of 16—Peggy Ed-

wards; Peggy Holden, an adventurous girl of 16—Helen Abrams.

Dora Townsend, a 17-year-old girl—Dolores Birard; Ella Townsend, president of the town's Ladies' league—Yvonne Soltes; Mrs. Wesley, a short little woman—Marlene Lenhardt; Charles Townsend, the town's big business man—Dick Levensgood.

The public is invited to see the play.

MAN KILLED IN CRASH

PHILIPSBURG, Oct. 4 (P)—Andrew Bogi of Grassflat was killed last night when his auto plunged off an embankment on a rural road near here. His wife, Anna, 28, and two sons, James, 7, and David, 3, were admitted to a hospital in serious condition.

Pupils Choose Their Class Officers

The following class officers were selected in each grade:

Eleventh: president, Nelson Levensgood; vice president, Frank Gambino; secretary, Marie Plasco; treasurer, Darlene Bauer.

Tenth: president, Patricia Polastre; vice president, Lucille Tufani; secretary, Nancy Geyer; treasurer, Doris Derrick.

Ninth: president, Joanne Geisler; vice president, Kenneth Sekelick; secretary, Janice Weaver; treasurer, Edward Short.

Eighth: president, William Slaby; vice president, Douglas Brunner;

secretary, Barbara Christman; treasurer, Charles Levensgood.

Seventh: president, Robert Bagnole; vice president, Wynona Elson; secretary, Elaine Krigolo; treasurer, Geraldine Harp.

WOMAN DIES AT GAME

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 4 (P)—Valerian S. Gutowski, 46, Beaver Falls, suffered a heart attack and died at Forbes field last night just before the end of the National Football league game in which the Pittsburgh Steelers triumphed over the New York Giants, 24-14.

Two State Troopers Receive Promotions

HARRISBURG, Oct. 4 (P)—State Police Lts. James F. Maroney, Greensburg, and Frank Milligan, Erie, have been promoted to the rank of captain.

In announcing the promotions, Col. C. M. Wilhelm, State police commissioner, said Maroney will be reassigned to Washington, Pa., but will remain temporarily on O. Schmidt, track receiver, and assigned duty at the Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh. Milligan, he said, will continue as commanding officer at Erie.

Race Track Hearing Postponed 'Few Days'

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Oct. 4 (P)—Judge Harry E. Watkins, postponed "for a few days" decision on whether Wheeling Downs

Race track may hold a 21-day meeting beginning Nov. 5.

Watkins announced his decision after a conference with William G. Lias, track manager; Carl Schmidt, track receiver, and David Goldberg, track auditor.

The State Racing commission has granted permission for the meeting. Track officers told the

judge they might lose the dates in the future if they were not fulfilled this fall.

Watkins' approval is required because the track now is in Federal hands, pending the decision on the government's tax lien against Lias.

EDEN RETURNS TO POST

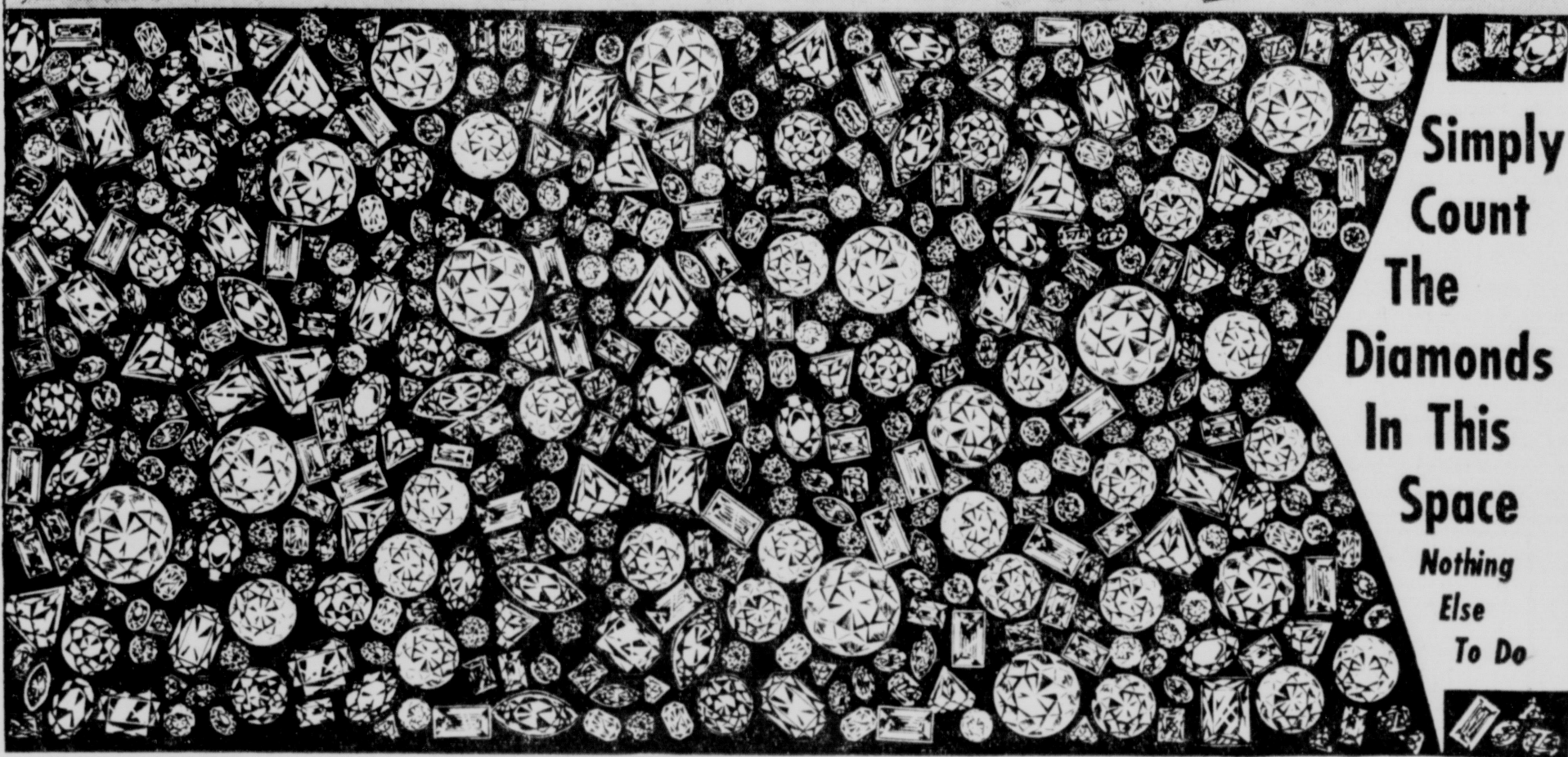
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NEWLYWEDS Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Raffeo are shown here following a ceremony performed in St. Aloysius church. The bride was formerly Jean Derecola, 366 Cherry street. Mr. Raffeo is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Raffeo, Norristown. The couple is spending a week's honeymoon in the Poconos.

An afternoon ceremony in St. Aloysius church united in marriage Jean Derecola, 366 Cherry street, and Vincent Raffeo, Norristown. Mrs. Rose Derecola is the mother of the bride. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Gus Raffeo, Norristown.

The Rev. George Hiller performed the double ring rites before an altar banked with gladioli and snapdragons. Eleanor Kurtz, organist, and Geraldine Guthrie, vocal soloist, presented a recital of nuptial music preceding the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her brother, Chris Derecola, the bride wore a white gown of Chantilly lace and tulle over satin. The lace bodice was styled with a jewel neckline and a sheer yoke.

Long tapered sleeves were pointed over the bride's hands. The entire bodice of the gown was embellished with seed pearls and sequins. Her bouffant skirt extended into a full six panel court train.

A fitted lace coliche studded with sequins and pearls anchored her imported finger tip veil of silk illusion. She carried a prayerbook topped with an orchid.

As matron of honor, Catherine Solomon wore a gown of pink nylon tulle. The bodice was designed with a boat neckline. A fitted jacket of permanently pleated nylon tulle matched the gown.

Her full skirt was made of pleated tulle as was her fitted coliche. She carried a bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis.

Bridesmaids were Lena Raffeo and Jerry Zawaski. Their gowns were styled identical to that of the matron of honor. Miss Raffeo wore blue while Miss Zawaski chose green.

Serving as best man was Sam Solomone. Ushers were Anthony Nacarbelli and Vincent Russo.

The mother of the bride was attired in a rose lace dress accented with black accessories. The groom's mother chose a navy lace dress with navy accessories. Both wore corsages of white orchids.

A reception in St. Peter's hall followed the ceremony. Decorations were white crepe paper streamers.

After a week's honeymoon in the Poconos the couple will be at home in their newly furnished apartment on Franklin street.

For going-away the bride wore a black faille suit with black velvet accessories and the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. John Slatouski, 693 Logan street, became the parents of a boy on Friday night in the Memorial hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rhoads, Boyertown RD 2, on Saturday in the Memorial hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zimmerman, Park avenue, Fairview Village, a boy was born on Saturday in the Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Skapnit became the parents of a girl yesterday in the Memorial hospital. The Skapnits are residents of Pottstown RD 1.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Weeks, Seventh avenue, Collegeville, yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl High, Pottstown RD 2, became the parents of a girl yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart, 750 Willow street, yesterday. He was delivered in the Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Canfield, 1046 High street, became the parents of a girl yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Paup, 315 South street, on Saturday in the Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hessler became the parents of a boy yesterday in the Pottstown hospital. The Hesslers are residents of Pottstown RD 3.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Supco, 714 Center street, Stowe, yesterday in the Pottstown hospital.

A daughter was born to the Rev. and Mrs. Harper L. Schneck, Boyertown, recently in the Reading hospital.

New Furs Available In Variety of Styles

By DOROTHY ROE
(Associated Press Fashion Editor)

If you're going shopping for a new fur coat, you have a wider choice than ever before.

You may find a greater variety of furs, a wider range of colors, a choice of silhouettes and a scale of prices to suit almost any taste, figure and budget.

The first thing to decide before you start to "look," experts advise, is what kind of a fur coat fits your needs, and what you can afford to pay.

If you commute every day, for instance, you want a sturdy fur that will stand the gaff, be casual enough for every-day wear yet

dressy enough to see you through an evening in town.

If your budget is limited, you have a choice of a number of handsome furs, such as blonde, natural or dyed muskrat, sheared raccoon, American broadtail, sheared fox and the college girl's standby, mouton lamb.

These are available this year in both short and long styles, and in tones ranging from blonde to the deep browns and blacks.

Consider your figure, also before you buy a fur coat.

If you are the average height, 5 feet 5 or under, avoid bulky furs, wide shoulders, elaborate drape. The slim, straight silhouette is best for you.

If you are tall and willowy, you can get away with the extreme styles, such as Dior's tulip silhouette, rounded and draped above the belt, stem slim below.

81-Year-Old Man and Daughter-in-Law Celebrate Birthdays at Dinner Party

Harry Bauman and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charles Bauman, were guests of honor recently at a birthday party given by Mrs. Florence Endy, Pottstown RD 3, daughter of Mr. Bauman.

Mrs. Bauman observed her birthday on Sept. 28 while Mr. Bauman was 81 years old on Oct. 3.

Kathleen, Pottstown; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Endy, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Endy, all residents of Boyertown; Florence Endy and children, Shirley, Mamie, Russell, Donald and Ronald; Elmer Fritz, Charles Bauman, the honored guests and the hostess.

The Stork Presides At Baby Shower For Mrs. R. Renninger

Mr. Harold Wynn, Mrs. Earl Strange Jr., and Mrs. Hugh McLaughlin were hostesses at a baby shower given Mrs. Robert Renninger, 671 Hawthorne avenue, Friday night.

The party was held at Mrs. Wynn's home, 1053 Queen street.

Green and white crepe paper streamers with a large plastic stork suspended over a bassinet was the center of attraction. The theme of the affair was also carried out in the table decorations where a baby in a bassinet adorned the cake.

Present at the shower were: Mrs. Marvin Maurey, Mrs. Ernest Renninger, Mrs. Wilmer Moyer, Mrs. Robert Reis, Mrs. Carl Harp, Mrs. Neil Steinbraker, Mrs. Earl Mock, Mrs. Richard Moyer, Mrs. Douglas Moyer, Mrs. Eden Renninger.

Gifts were sent by the following unable to attend: Mrs. Walter Ellis, Grace Yergey, Mrs. John Gilbert and Mrs. Jack Eck.

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Residential Fires Increasing Rapidly

Residential fires are on the increase. In making this announcement, the National Board of Fire Underwriters urged householders to eliminate home fire hazards during Fire Prevention Week. The board cited statistics for 1952, which list 300,566 residential fires in cities of 2500 and over — 6790 more than during 1951.

In pointing out that careless use of matches and smoking materials continues to be the leading cause



Fire Prevention Week this year is being observed the week of Oct. 4 through 10. Its purpose is to direct public attention to the tremendous loss of life and property that results each year from fire, and to emphasize the safety measures which can substantially reduce these losses.

President Eisenhower, in his proclamation setting aside this one week of the year to this national effort, has pointed out that safety to life and property is the responsibility of each of us working together the year 'round in the community and in the Nation.

- of fires, the board stressed the importance of taking the following precautions:
1. Provide plenty of large ashtrays, and be sure they are used.
 2. When emptying ashtrays, be sure every match and butt is cold.
 3. Never toss a lighted match or cigarette into a wastebasket.
 4. Before going out or going to bed, be sure no butts are burning on tables or under sofa cushions.

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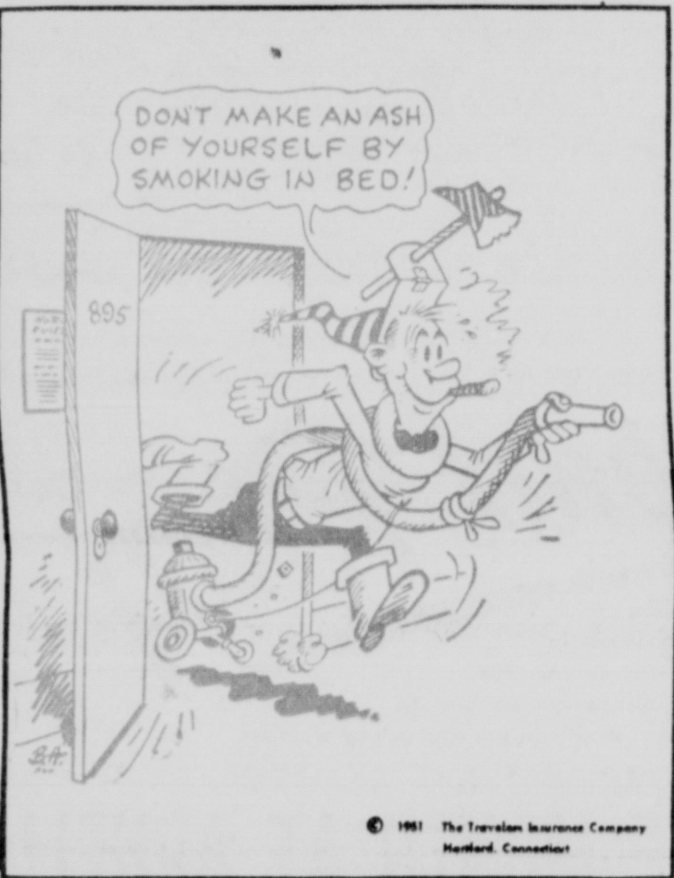
5. Never smoke in bed! While there are many other specific rules for home fire safety, basically fire prevention is simply a matter of keeping the three elements of fire — heat, fuel and oxygen — apart.

This means seeing that actual and potential sources of heat (flames, sparks, electric wiring and appliances, furnaces and heaters) never come in contact with combustible materials (wood, paper, flammable fabrics and liquids).

Or, if the source of heat and the combustible material are already in contact (as in the case of oil-soaked rags, which can ignite spontaneously), is means cutting off the supply of oxygen (keeping the rags in a tightly covered metal container).

The board suggests that every householder make a thorough check of his home and his habits with this basic fire prevention principle in mind.

FORMER ROYAL AIDE DIES
LONDON, Oct. 4 (AP) — Lord Templemore, 73, Conservative politician and former Royal aide, died yesterday at Bray, Ireland.



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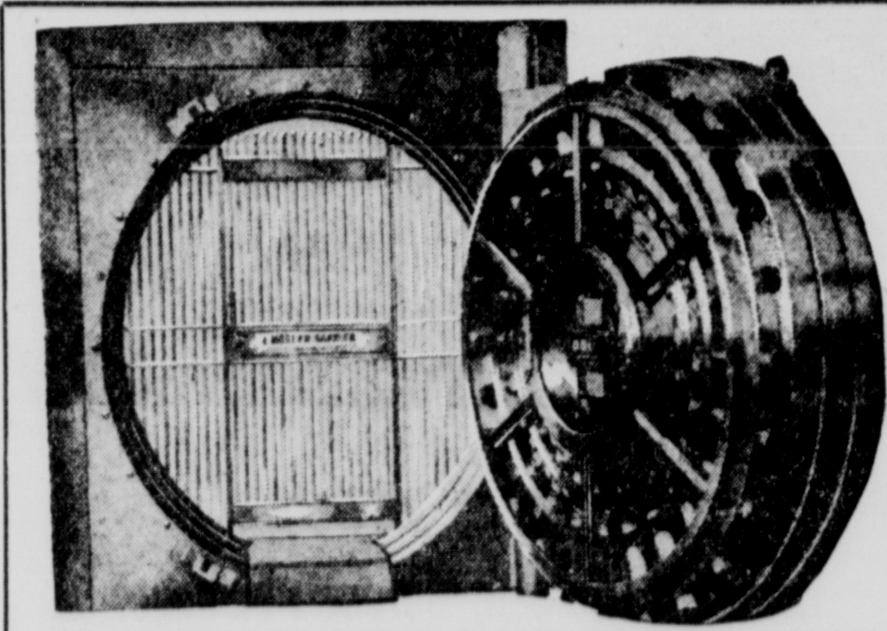
Fire takes a shocking toll...

in property destroyed, homes devastated, futures blasted, bodies maimed, lives lost. The eerie whining of fire engine's siren grips every heart in the quick, chill terror of the question, "Could this be MY turn?"

Bitterly ironic is the fact that most fires could have been prevented. Fire feeds greedily on careless deeds. Fire can be stopped before it starts by care and caution . . . YOUR care and

caution. Check that wiring system. Clean up that accumulation of waste material in the basement. Keep paints, oils and other combustibles in a fire-safe place. Watch that lighted match and cigarette butt. Don't smoke while working with inflammables. Don't smoke in bed . . . ever!

Put your family on guard against every fire hazard . . . not only during Fire Prevention Week (Oct. 4th to 10th) but every day and night of every week of every month. Fire prevention is a year 'round job for everyone. Its watch words are BE CAREFUL ALL WAYS!



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SCRAPS

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HIS NAME?

GROG IS RUM WEAKENED
WITH WATER AND HIS NAME
ORIGINATED WITH SAILORS
BECAUSE THE FIRST DISTILLATION
WAS ORDERED BY OLD GROG
AN ENGLISH ADMIRAL.

WHAT
PITCHER
OF TODAY
COULD PITCH 39 GAMES
IN SUCCESSION?
AL G.SPALDING DID IT

12-5

HERE'S A THOUGHT, OLD CRUAPET...IT'S CHARACTERISTIC OF A PERSON WHO HIDES MONEY NOT TO PUT ALL THE EGGS IN ONE COWLEET, AS IT WERESO MAYBE THERE'S ALSO A BOX OF GOLD COINS HIDDEN IN THE CELLAR!

I KNOW OUR BASEMENT LIKE A SPIDER, AND IT'D BE A WASTE OF TIME SEARCHING!

EVERY MUSCLE IN MY BODY ACHES LIKE FURY TODAY FROM THE TONNAGE OF STUFF I MOVED AROUND DOWN THERE YESTERDAY!!

LISTEN, DEAR... LET'S PRETEND I'M HALF-WITTED AND YOU'RE INTELLIGENT!

HE WENT OVER EVERY SQUARE FOOT

10-11

BRICK BRADFORD

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JEFF? NO!

JEFF? DOESN'T LOOK LIKE HER, IT'S IMPOSSIBLE.

SHE'S DEAD!

ON THE CONTRARY, DEAR COUSIN, ANGEL IS DEAD... BRICK, I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT SUSPECT MY IDENTITY, LONG AGO!

Paul Morris 10-5

GRAMP DON'T BREATHE OR WIGGLE YOUR TOES TO AGITATE THEM SWARMIN' BEES-- I SENT TH' BOYS A-WHIZZIN' OVER TH' RIDGE TO FETCH TH' BEE MAN TO HIVE 'EM!

BACK-ROAD FOLKS -- HIDING BEHIND HIS CONCRETE STOCKING, GRAMPAN WEATHERED A DIRECT ATTACK ON HIS BROKEN LEG --

STAN LEE
10-5

FELIX THE CAT

Panel 1: **FELIX:** HI, POKE, WHATCHA DOIN' ? **PIGGY BANK:** UH, UH, READIN' DA PAPER

Panel 2: **FELIX:** NAHH! **PIGGY BANK:** GOOD NEWS, I HOPE !

Panel 3: **FELIX:** DA VOILD'S IN BAD SHAPE-EVERYTHING'S TOPSY-TURVY- **PIGGY BANK:** I AM!

Panel 4: **FELIX:** NO WONDER! YOU'RE HOLDING THE PAPER UPSIDE DOWN! **PIGGY BANK:** I AM!

MONDAY'S TELEVISION PROGRAMS		MONDAY'S TELEVISION PROGRAMS	
WFIL-TV—CHANNEL 6	WCATV-TV—CHANNEL 10	WPTZ-TV—CHANNEL 3	Program
Time	Channel No.	Time	Channel No.
12:00 P. M.	6 Stop, Look and Listen	7:00 P. M.	3 News
12:45 P. M.	6 World Series	7:15 P. M.	3 Sports Page
1:00 P. M.	10 Shop and Sign	7:15 P. M.	6 Newslet
1:30 P. M.	10 The Garry Moore Show	7:30 P. M.	3 To Be Announced
2:00 P. M.	6 News	7:30 P. M.	6 The Jamie Story
2:30 P. M.	10 Double or Nothing	7:50 P. M.	10 News
2:15 P. M.	6 Woman's Page	7:55 P. M.	3 News
2:30 P. M.	10 Linkletter's House Party	7:55 P. M.	10 Perry Como Show
3:00 P. M.	6 Bandstand	8:00 P. M.	3 Name That Tune
3:30 P. M.	3 Kate Smith Hour	8:00 P. M.	6 Twenty Questions
3:30 P. M.	10 The Big Sign	8:20 P. M.	10 Burns and Allen
3:45 P. M.	6 Kate Smith	8:30 P. M.	3 Concert
3:50 P. M.	10 Cinderella Weekend	8:30 P. M.	6 Cinema
4:00 P. M.	3 Welcome Travelers	8:50 P. M.	10 Arthur Godfrey
4:15 P. M.	6 Action to Attention	9:00 P. M.	3 Dennis Day Show
4:30 P. M.	3 On Your Account	9:10 P. M.	6 Junior Post Conference
4:30 P. M.	10 Adventure Theater	9:30 P. M.	10 I Love Lucy
4:45 P. M.	6 Junior M. Jims	9:30 P. M.	3 Robert Montgomery
5:00 P. M.	3 Atom Squad	9:30 P. M.	6 Dallas
5:00 P. M.	6 Movie	9:30 P. M.	10 The Red Buttons Show
5:00 P. M.	6 Move Platinee	10:00 P. M.	6 Bowling
5:15 P. M.	3 Gabby Hayes	10:00 P. M.	10 Studio One
5:30 P. M.	3 Howdy Doody	10:30 P. M.	3 Who Said That
5:30 P. M.	10 Gene Autry	10:45 P. M.	6 Sports
6:00 P. M.	3 Friends Playhouse	11:00 P. M.	3 The GI's Nazi Bear
6:30 P. M.	10 Early Show	11:00 P. M.	6 News; Weather
6:30 P. M.	3 Remake of the Jungle	11:00 P. M.	10 News; Sports
		11:00 P. M.	6 Local

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ACROSS			
1. Gang	3. Level	19. Rodent	
5. Edges of garments	4. Plural pronoun	20. Frozen water	
9. A shade of purple	5. Chief	21. Otherwise	
10. Build	6. Unit of work	22. Proportion	
12. Measure of land	7. Girl's nickname	23. Sanding device	
13. Book of Old Testament	8. Shade of red	24. One who sings softly	
14. Risked (colloq.)	9. A spice		
16. Railroad (abbr.)	11. Long violent speech	25. Help	
17. Lamprey	13. A food-flavoring plant	28. Measure of land	
18. Gold (Hcr.)		31. Form	
19. Nuclei of starch grains	15. Heavenly body with a tail	32. Argentinian leader	
21. Clashed in the arms		33. Branch of learning	

Saturday's Answer

35. Raised	
36. A	
	pronoun
38. River	
	(Eng.)
39. A	
	grape
	(Bot.)
42. Italian	
	river

DOWN

1. Rugged mountain crest
2. Bearded (Bot.)
3. Swelling
4. Cirrus (abbr.)
5. Resort
6. Note of the scale
7. Member of a family
8. Bear
9. Male red deer
10. Female of the ruff
11. Gourdlike fruits
12. Peruse
13. Foreboding
14. Hiding place for supplies
15. Of the

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

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A Cryptogram Quotation

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HSA HQMW O GVCBAT, XCPS
HSA HB LHWFJ HB H JCEAT-
QS FCS.

Saturday's Cryptoquote: KNEELING NE'ER SPOILED

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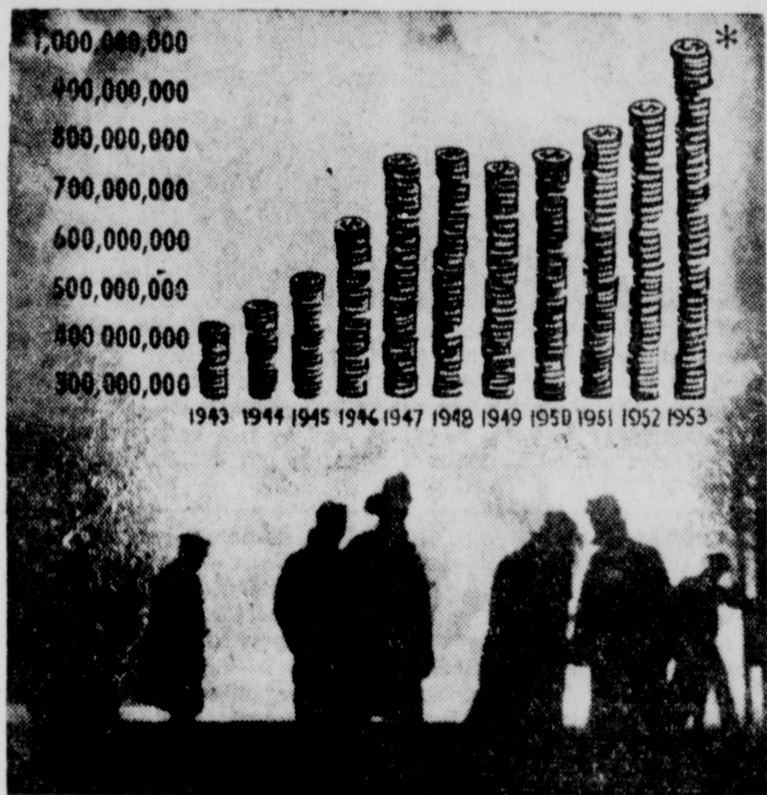
Losses Double in 10 Years

Americans are paying a shocking price for carelessness.

The National Fire Prevention association reports that a fire loss of slightly more than \$400,000,000 in 1943 has climbed until in 1952, just ten years later, the loss exceeded \$896,000,000, partially due to inflated values. Deaths from fires totaled 12,535 in the United States and Canada.

Based upon the fire loss in the first five months of 1953, the NFPA predicts a loss in excess of \$900,000,000 this year. This would mean a loss of approximately \$6 per capita this year, a record peace-time high for this or any other nation.

"Americans lead all others in burning up their homes, their jobs, and themselves," the NFPA asserts and points out that at least 90 percent of the fires that take such a high annual toll in homes, on farms, and in industry can be prevented by being careful and practicing sensible living habits.



*Estimated on basis of first five months.

More Than 70,000 Business Places Will Burn This Year, National Board of Fire Underwriters' Statistics Indicate

Fire the past year damaged or destroyed over 70,000 places of business.

This year, according to the National Board of Fire Underwriters, the toll may be even worse.

Blame for 90 percent of those fires is put on the individual—you—the person whose carelessness, the board says, caused the blaze.

Because 11 percent of all building fires the past year were in mercantile establishments, public attention has been directed by the board to their cause and prevention.

For instance, NBFU points out that accumulations of waste materials present an easily recognized fire hazard and should be corrected at once.

In addition, it urges an immediate check on the kind and location of receptacles for ashes, the method of storing and handling waste paper, rags, empty packing cases and excelsior.

RAGS CONTAINING paint or vegetable oils are especially hazardous because of the danger of spontaneous heating and ignition.

Chimneys should be regularly examined for defects which might cause fires, the most obvious of which are cracks and stovepipe openings which are not properly closed. Such defects may allow gases to escape into the building and may cause the ignition of combustible materials.

Other fire hazards are related to heating equipment and appliances, smoke pipes, gas appliance vents, range hoods, warm air ducts and registers, and steam and hot water pipes. These should be examined for proper clearances from combustible materials.

Electric wiring and equipment should be checked for defects. Examination also should be made of gas piping and equipment, particular attention being paid to conditions which may allow gas leaks, clearances of gas appliance from combustible material, and proper venting of gas appliances to the outer air.

The storage and handling of flammable liquids should be carefully investigated.

The NBFU urges that inspections be made to determine whether all fire hazards are properly safeguarded.

It also advises that the firms acquaint the members of the fire department with the hazards which exist in the buildings. In particular, the fire department should

know the location where flammable liquids or hazardous chemicals are kept and approximately how much is there.

It should know the location of the main gas shutoff valve and the electric service switch. It should also know what gas the refrigerating system contains and what to do in case the gas becomes released.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS destructive fires continue to take an enormous toll of life and property despite the compelling need for the conservation of our human and natural resources in order to strengthen the defense of the Nation; and

WHEREAS a more concerted and widespread effort to prevent such fires must be made during the coming year if many lives of our citizens are to be spared, and the suffering and disability of many thousands more prevented; and

WHEREAS, the Nation can ill afford the needless waste of nearly a billion dollars in irreplaceable materials, facilities, resources:

NOW, THEREFORE, I William A. Griffith, Burgess of Pottstown, do hereby designate the week beginning October 4, 1953, as Fire Prevention Week.

I urge that every man, woman, and child in this great county contribute to the nation-wide effort to strengthen the United States by accepting a personal responsibility in the never-ending campaign to save life and property by preventing destructive fires. I request that the local governments, the Red Cross, the Chamber of Commerce, and business, labor and farm organizations, as well as churches, schools, civic groups, and agencies of public information, co-operate fully in the observance of Fire Prevention Week. I also direct the appropriate agencies of the local Government to assist in this crusade against the loss of life and property resulting from fires.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Borough of Pottstown to be affixed.

Done in the borough of Pottstown this 3rd day of October, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-three, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and seventy-eighth.

WILLIAM A. GRIFFITH
Burgess of Pottstown



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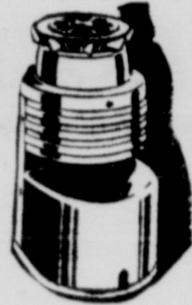
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ANTIQUE SHOW OPENS TODAY

All Kinds of Items Will Be Offered For Sale

Antique lovers, furniture lovers and people who just like to shop around have a great treat in store for them during the next three days.

The annual show of the Montgomery County Antique Dealers' association opens today at Sunnybrook ballroom.

The show, second to be held this year, will open this morning at 11 o'clock and continue for the next three days.

Doors will be open Monday through Wednesday from 11 a. m. to 11 p. m., according to Silas Stahl, local antique dealer, a past president of the association.

Stahl said the show would be "as good if not better than the show held the past April" which attracted thousands of antique enthusiasts.

The pet and prize wares of more than 40 antique dealers from Pottstown and all over the county will be assembled and put on display at the show.

And every item will be for sale. And those items will include articles large and small: from glass ware to furniture.

FIRE WEEK

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proved to be the cause of thousands of fires."

Here are some questions the Firemen's association suggests you ask yourself:

1. Do I ever smoke in bed?
2. Do I ever throw lighted matches or butts out the car window when I'm driving—or into a wastebasket at home—instead of using an ashtray?
3. Do I ever put a cigaret, or cigar, or pipe down on a table or chair and forget about it?
4. Do I leave matches around where children can reach them?

If you answered "yes" to any of these questions you are not as safe as you think where fire is concerned, the association states.

FIRE APPARATUS will be on hand for the spot inspection, which will be tomorrow at 1:30 p. m. The names of stores and places of business along High street will be placed in a hat and six will be drawn by Girl scouts.

The ones selected will be inspected, and if any fire hazards are found, will be notified to have them corrected. A follow-up inspection of these will be held about a month later, Lindauer said.

The Philadelphia Steam Fire Engine company, in Pottstown will have on display tomorrow an old pumper bearing this inscription: "This old pumper has done its part—the public please do theirs."

The fire drills in the elementary schools will be held on different days, with no warning given beforehand to the school. Fire apparatus from the different local company's will be at the school for the drill, Kelly said.

"The firemen will pass out about 3000 comic books—roughly one for each child—at the drills," Kelly said.

"The books carry a message on fire prevention which the children will be able to understand," he added.

"If we can see to it that the message of this week gets across to the people, we will have started in the right direction along the road to fire prevention," Lindauer said.

SCHOOL OPENING

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time accident coverage. The policy, approved by the school board, costs \$1.25 per child and covers the child from an hour before school until an hour after school.

Charles Rohland, chairman of the activities committee, will report on the assignment of coaches for the coming year and on their salaries, for the athletic council.

The board will open bids on a dishwasher for the Junior High school.

LOCAL NOTICES

Rummage sale on Tuesday in church basement of Evangelical United Brethren church, Walnut street, below Washington.

Rummage sale Monday morning, 8:30, Moose hall, by DAR.

Rummage sale, Moose hall, Tues. Oct. 6, New Han. U. Fred. PTA.

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Man Sprains Neck In Two-Car Collision At Intersection Here

A man suffered a sprained neck Saturday night when the car he was driving collided with another vehicle at High street and Firestone boulevard.

The accident occurred at 6:40 p. m. One vehicle, operated by Michael A. Scalzi, Reading, was traveling east on High street.

Another car, driven by Elven Kozart, Hildale, was traveling north on Firestone boulevard.

According to police, the cars collided because of a mixup in observing traffic signals.

The right front fender, grill and bumper of the Scalzi truck were damaged.

The Kozart car suffered damage to its left front fender.

Kozart told police he suffered a sprained neck.

Festival of Harvest Observed at Citadel

The festival of the harvest was observed at the King street citadel of the Salvation Army last night.

Guest speaker was Col. John Grace, Philadelphia, commander of the Salvation Army's Southeast Pennsylvania division. His topic was "Then Came Jesus."

Music at the service included cornet selections by Mrs. Grace and Capt. and Mrs. C. Robert Flinn, playing as a trio.

Mrs. Flinn, wife of the commander of the citadel, also offered vocal selections.

Colonel Grace spoke at morning worship on the topic "Ye Are My Witnesses."

Church Talks Slated In K of C Auditorium

A series of public talks on the Catholic faith will begin tomorrow night at the Knights of Columbus hall, 268 King street.

The Rev. George P. Hiller, assistant rector of St. Aloysius Catholic church, will give the first two talks.

The informal lectures will be given each Tuesday and Thursday night in the K of C auditorium at 8 p. m.

Other local priests will speak on succeeding weeks.

Mysterious Explosion Levels 'Dry Ice' Plant

SCRANTON, Oct. 4 (AP)—An explosion of unknown origin blew out the four walls and roof of a "dry ice" distributing plant in downtown Scranton today, but no one was injured.

The building, occupied by the Pure Carbonic company, was constructed of cinder block and timber with steel uprights. Only the uprights were left standing after the explosion, which shattered windows a half mile away and caused hundreds in the immediate vicinity to leave their television sets and check with the police department.

The blast occurred during the latter part of the World Series game and some reports said television reception of the game "was ruined."

OPTIMISM

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over the country" working to drum up new business.

"Universal joints and propeller shafts," was the business they were mainly after, he noted.

"We're after companies that are building their own now to let us build them for them. And we're after customers who are being sold to now by our competitors," he said.

The main selling points the men are using are the universal ones of "better quality at lower cost."

"We know we can give it," Gavin said.

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Two Cars Damaged In Route 422 Crash

Two vehicles were damaged Saturday afternoon when they collided on Route 422 about three miles east of Pottstown.

A. B. Ziegler, 52, Limerick, was driving a truck west on Route 422 and Mildred B. Lyons, 50, Reading, was driving a car east on the highway when the accident occurred.

The truck was damaged to the extent of \$100 while the car received damaged amounting to more than \$225, according to State police of Jeffersonville sub-station.

State Police Report Four-Car Sideswipe Causes \$750 Loss

Damage ran high but no one was injured Saturday night when four cars collided on Route 422 about one mile east of Pottstown near Sandoga.

Operators of the cars were: Alice Leffel, 38, Shaver Trailer camp, Pottstown RD 4; Thomas Urban, 53, Philadelphia; Charles C. Martin, 28, Haliboro; and Carl Richard Ziegler, 25, Pottstown RD 3.

The accident happened at 7:10 p. m., according to State Police of Jeffersonville sub-station.

The Leffel car was traveling west and the other three cars were traveling east.

According to State Trooper Raymond Miller, who investigated the accident, the Leffel car sideswiped the other three cars.

Total damage amounted to more than \$750, State police said.

The Leffel car was damaged to the extent of \$150; the Urban car, \$100; the Martin car, \$400, and the Ziegler car, \$125.

Lecturer Discusses Religious Movements

The backgrounds of several Pottstown area religious groups were discussed in a lecture at Old Exeter Friends meeting house yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Elmer E. S. Johnson, Pottstown, was the lecturer.

He spoke of the beginnings of the non-conformist movement in religion—a movement that produced such present denominations as the Methodists, Brethren, Schwenkfelders and Friends.

The speaker, a former professor at Hartford seminary, Hartford, Conn., lived in Germany before World War I and did research there on the non-conformist movement.

He was introduced at yesterday's meeting by Mrs. Robert Haines.

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BURGESS PLEDGES

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come from Fire Chief Richard E. Lindauer.

Lindauer reported several fire companies will take part in the test, solely through the co-operation of the Montgomery County Fire Chiefs association. No plans have come through to him on the borough level.

350 Persons Attend Eagles Aerie Clam Bake

About 350 persons attended a clam bake of the Pottstown Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie 626 yesterday afternoon at Hickory park.

Harry Treisger was chairman of the bake. Guests watched the World Series game between the New York Yankees and the Brooklyn Dodgers on a television set brought along especially for the occasion.

"Cash For Farmers!"

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German Club Members Elect Deegan President

John Deegan was elected president of the German club yesterday by a 106 to 58 vote over Paul Stahl. In the vote for the only other contested post, Barlow Hafer defeated Howard Swede, 100 to 62 for treasurer.

The other officers were unopposed. They are Nick Pasquale, vice president, Al O'Neill, secretary, and George Marquardt, trustee.

Polling took place at the club from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. yesterday.

FIRE SWEEPS WATERFRONT

VALLEJO, Calif., Oct. 4 (AP)—A sudden fire swept the waterfront of the Mare Island Navy yard this afternoon, destroying a Navy tug and a barge, a tug office, several other buildings and part of a pier.

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DRY WELL

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which is not easy to penetrate. No matter how slow it goes, though, there's a good chance the vacationing pupils won't be bored. It's ideal weather these days for almost everything but going to school.

The only trouble with an unscheduled vacation is that you have to make up the days you don't have school.

The State requires a certain number of days of school be put in each year.

John W. Fadler Sr., school board president, said last night that the days off now would probably be made up during holiday vacations, rather than next Spring.

He agreed that the well-drilling would probably go on all this week.

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US Air Force Gives New Cabin Airplane To Civil Air Patrol

Pottstown's Civil Air Patrol squadron received a new airplane yesterday.

The unit, Squadron 906 of Pennsylvania, was given an L-16—cabin monoplane—by the US Air Force.

The presentation was made at a meeting of the group yesterday at Pottstown airport, Limerick.

The plane will be used to train members and for use in any search missions in the area.

THIS BRINGS to a total of 19 planes, available for Civil Defense purposes in the Pottstown area. The other 18 are privately owned.

The part the local squadron will play in the State-wide Civil Defense program slated for tomorrow was also discussed.

The squadron also announced that it plans to make a breakfast flight in conjunction with the Pottstown Airplane Owners and Pilots association to Dover air base next Sunday at 10 a. m.

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FARMS FACE ADDED DANGER FROM FIRES

Many Combustible Substances Used
3000 DIE IN BLAZES DURING PAST YEAR

Fire, always a constant threat to the modern farmer, the past year took 3000 lives, destroyed \$133,000,000 in farm property.

Combustible substances like hay, straw and gasoline, plus heat-producing equipment, matches and smoking tobacco and sparks from machinery—not to mention the chance of lightning—combine to increase the danger of fire on the farm.

In addition, many farms are in isolated areas which fire-fighters cannot quickly reach.

Because of this the farmer must take continual safety precautions. These should begin with the original farm construction and apply to any new building which is added, as well as extending into every phase of the farm's operation.

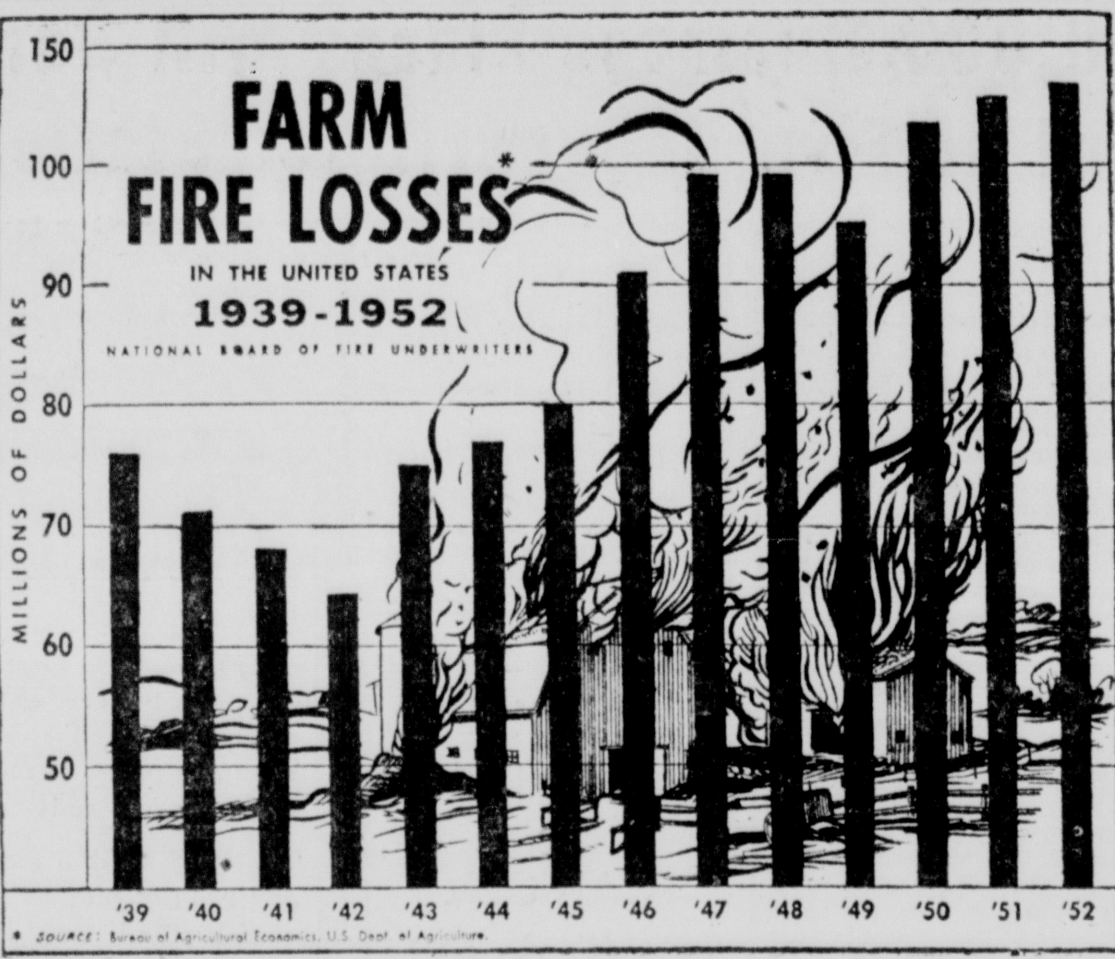
IN THE PLANNING and building stages, spacing and construction of buildings are very important, the National Board of Fire Underwriters declares.

In general, 150 feet between

Cigar, Fire Cracker Blamed for Two of Biggest US Fires

A lighted cigar stub dropped through a factory's broken skylight, set fire to 100 dozen celluloid shirt bosoms, stylish in 1904. Before the fire was over, 150 acres of Baltimore had been devastated.

The alarm was delayed and the fire horses had damped the day of the great Boston fire of 1872 that caused a \$70,000,000 loss. Somebody threw a Fourth of July fire cracker through the window of a builder's shop and 200 acres of buildings in Portland, Me., were laid waste, July 4, 1866.



buildings is considered sufficient for safety. If possible, prevailing winds should blow across a hypothetical line connecting house and barn.

Because lack of water is a serious danger, every farm should, if possible, have a pond within pumping distance of buildings. Soil Conservation service specifications will assure the pond's usefulness to the fire-fighters.

Each phase of the farmer's daily work should be done with the threat of fire in mind. The farmer should also inspect his entire farm carefully for fire hazards.

Cardinal safety rule is that heat, sparks or flames (actual or potential) and combustibles like hay, straw, gasoline or kerosene do not mix. Keep plenty of space between them!

THE FARM SHOULD have a complete lightning protection system. All wire fences near the barn or other buildings should be connected to a ground which may be bonded to the lightning rod ground.

Further information on this subject may be obtained from NBFU's booklet, "Your Farm and Fire Safety." For your copy, write to the National Board of Fire Underwriters, 85 John street, New York 38, N. Y.

Carelessness Feeds Fire

"Fire Feeds on Careless Deeds" is emphasized in this year's Fire Prevention Week campaign.

The National Fire Protection association points out that 50 percent of all fires are directly due to carelessness and indifference to fire hazards.

12,535 DIE IN FIRE
Death by fire hit a new peak in 1952. The National Fire Protection association reports that 12,535 died. The toll in the last decade now exceeds 100,000.



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Fire's Big Three

The National Fire Protection association estimates that there were more than 600,000 building fires in the United States in 1952. Just three hazards accounted for more than one-third of the total.

These were carelessness with matches and smoking; misuse of electricity and faulty wiring and appliances, and defective heating equipment.



Like the Oak From the Acorn...

The "ordinary" fire will increase in four minutes to three times its original size—in two minutes more to 11 times—in two more to 50 times! Yet 3 out of every 4 of the six million fires that occurred in the last ten years could have been prevented. Make every week Fire Prevention Week... by being careful.

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Steps to Farm Fire Safety Listed

Farm and rural fires continue to take a needlessly high toll of life and property.

The National Fire Protection association says that farmers should take three simple steps to protect themselves:

Step 1—Know the primary causes of fire. Eight primary hazards account for 90 percent of farm fires. These are:

- (1) Carelessness with matches and smoking.
- (2) Dirty and defective heating equipment.
- (3) Improper storage and use of gasoline and kerosene.
- (4) Overloaded electric circuits and attempts to operate improperly installed and defective electrical equipment.
- (5) Sparks on flammable wood shingle roofs.
- (6) Spontaneous ignition of hay.
- (7) Trash and rubbish.
- (8) Lack of, or faulty installation of, lightning rods.

Step 2—Check your living habits and the tendency to be careless, and inspect buildings at regular intervals. For example:

- (1) Don't smoke in the barn or in bed... never discard a burning match.
- (2) Keep furnaces, stoves, brooders, and other heating devices clean, in good repair.
- (3) Store gasoline and kerosene in approved containers.
- (4) Be sure electrical circuits are of ample capacity to carry the load. For safety, employ competent electricians



This \$50,000 barn with contents valued at \$10,000 burned in West Hartford, Ct., when a pitchfork broke an electric light bulb and set fire to hay in the loft. It was a complete loss—not even insured. The nearest water supply was a brook 800 feet distant; yet there was no hose, no pump, and no fire extinguisher, and the farmer wasted 20 minutes trying to put out the fire before calling the firemen.

to make needed repairs.

- (5) Use fire-resistant roofing, such as asphalt shingles, or asbestos or metal roofing.
- (6) Cure hay properly and provide adequate ventilation... don't overheat driers.
- (7) Don't allow papers and magazines to pile up in the

barn, home, or other buildings.

(8) Keep oily rags in metal-covered containers.

(9) Protect all main buildings with approved lightning rods.

Step 3—Farms are often far from organized fire protection. Keep fire extinguishers, hose, and ladders on the premises.



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- Don't use frayed electric cords!
- Keep matches away from children!
- Remove cellar, attic and closet "junk"!
- Don't overload electric outlets!
- Don't use ordinary extension cords on heaters, irons!
- Get a sparking chimney fixed!
- Don't use flammable cleaning fluids!
- Don't be careless with cigarettes!

Unless you follow these simple rules—the next home that burns may be your own! Get rid of your fire hazards today. 9 out of 10 home fires are preventable!

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'Firewater', Pigeons, Hay Children Present Special Fire Protection Problem

Add to List of Freak Blazes

When fire prevention experts get together, shop talk is about fire, and often about freak fires.

For example, there is the story of the husband who lit a match to help him see under the door of his apartment, suspecting a man was inside with his wife.

Rags stuffed under the door caught fire. Charged with arson, he was held for almost a month before the judge released him. "Believe it or not," it happened in Chicago, Nov. 12, 1948.

The National Fire Protection as-

CAIRO, EGYPT — Pigeons with their feathers ablaze flew from roof-top to roof-top, setting ten



reed cottages afire.

Except for farms and a very few cities, there is little likeli-

hood of conflagrations in this country today due to flammable roofing. Fifteen years ago, flammable wood shingle roofs ranked third among the major causes of fire in this country.

Now sparks on roofs rank 16th, due to enforcement of building codes by 600-odd communities prohibiting the use of flammable roofing material, and to the increasing use of fire-protective roof coverings, particularly asphalt shingles.

In spite of this, there were still about 16,000 roof fires in 1952, and the loss was \$11,400,000.

Some 1300 children under five years of age died the past year as a result of fire.

Very young children present a special problem when it comes to fire protection, the National Board of Fire Underwriters points out.

A child enters the world surrounded by potentially dangerous conditions of which he is completely unaware. After a period of helplessness, in which he must be entirely dependent upon his elders, he begins to move about and create situations of his own making.

From this point on, he must

be taught — by discipline or through experience — what is safe and what is not.

At this early age, however, the things which he has already learned are dangerous won't always help him to recognize danger when he comes up against a new and unrelated experience.

Therefore, he must be supervised; warned of imminent danger before he gets hurt.

CERTAINLY at this stage of his development, a young child cannot be accused of carelessness—which is said to cause 90 percent

of all the fires that occur.

Here are a few common-sense rules to remember, which may save your home, your children's lives and your own:

1. Never leave matches within reach of young hands.
2. Turn pot handles so they do not project beyond the stove.
3. Don't dress children in flimsy, fast-burning materials unless those materials have been flameproofed.
4. Never allow children to play near a bonfire.
5. Never use candles at children's parties.



sociation lists scores of freak fires. Here are a couple:

DETROIT, Mich.—The party in the restaurant was gay. Brandy was poured into coffee and ignited. When more brandy was added, flames shot ten feet into the air, and the burning liquid was spattered over a radius of 20 feet, burning several people.

Brandy is not a normal cause of fire, but carelessness with flammable liquids is. In 1952, gasoline, kerosene, and similar liquids were the cause of 41,200 fires. The loss was \$50,700,000.

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Too bad they gave fire a place to start!

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- "junk" in cellar, attic or closets
- overloaded electric outlets
- frayed electric cords
- ordinary extension cords on heaters, irons
- smoking in bed
- not squashing out cigarettes
- flammable cleaning fluids
- matches left near children
- chimneys that spark

If any of these 9 fire hazards exists in your home — the next home that burns may be your own! Get rid of your fire hazards today! — you'll sleep better tonight!

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Two Fire Companies Hold Get-Together In Royersford Hall

Like two old friends, Conshohocken Fire company 2 and Friendship Hook and Ladder Fire company 2 fraternized in the Hookies firehall at Royersford Friday night.

The Conshohocken firemen paid a friendly visit to the "Ford Fire company as a gesture to again indicate the old time good feeling which exists between the two.

Most of the affair was impromptu, but the informality was interrupted long enough for the visiting delegation to present a first aid kit to their hosts. Daniel Garvey, president of the Conshohocken company, presented the engraved memento to Donald Mungin, president of the Hookies.

Among the visitors were Fire Chief Joe Thomas; Harvey Shaw, who is also a lifetime member of the Hookies; Vice President John Hoyer and John Thomas, driver for Conshohocken.

Two bowling alleys and the shuffleboard helped entertain the guests, who came in two chartered buses. Refreshments were served.

PERSONALS

Jeanne Walters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Newton Walters, 436 Walnut street, Royersford, is spending some time visiting friends in Oakland and Los Angeles, Calif. She motored the 4800 miles to California with Jessie Stepp, who had visited relatives in Royersford and Virginia. Miss Walters expects to return to Philadelphia by air.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Keim, Yeagertown, near Lewistown, spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Auchy, Sixth avenue and Arch street, Royersford. Keim lived in Royersford until about 20 years ago.

Royersford Legion Aids Will Meet Tomorrow

Royersford Legion aids will hold their October meeting tomorrow night at 7:45 o'clock in the post house.

The entertainment and refreshment committee comprises Mrs. Ray Bush, Mrs. William Buckwalter, Mrs. Otto Bertz, Mrs. Helen Barthel, Mrs. Russell Bennett, Mrs. Paul Anderson, Catherine Adams, Marie Adams, Mrs. Henry Adams, Mrs. Harry Adams and Mrs. Curtis Austin.

VFW Post Calls Meeting

A special meeting of Ladies' auxiliary of Royersford Post 6341 Veterans of Foreign Wars has been called for tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the post house.

Church Calendar

Spring City Methodist: Tonight, Girl Scouts; Thursday afternoon, 2:15 o'clock, released time school; Friday night, Boy Scouts, Sunday, Oct. 11, annual Rally day.

Royersford Grace Lutheran: Tonight, 7 o'clock, Girl Scouts; 7:30 o'clock, Leadership Training class at Trappe; tomorrow night, 6:30 o'clock, junior catechetical class; 7:30 o'clock, Sunday school officers; 8 o'clock, church council; Wednesday night, 6:30 o'clock, chapel choir rehearsal; 8 o'clock, senior choir rehearsal; Saturday, 10 a. m., Brownies.

Zion Lutheran: Tonight, 7:30 o'clock, Leadership Training class at Trappe; Thursday night, 7 o'clock, youth choir; 8 o'clock, chancel choir.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational: Tonight, 7:30 o'clock, steward board; tomorrow night, 7 o'clock, trustee board; 8 o'clock, official board; Wednesday night, 7:30 o'clock, prayer meeting; 8:45 o'clock, choir rehearsal.

Royersford Methodist: Spiritual Life missions every night this week at 7:45 o'clock.

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Persuading 22 active youngsters to stand and look the same way at the same time isn't always easy.

Standing still doesn't come naturally when you're the age of these Third graders at St. Peter's parochial school. They

managed it this time though, as a special favor to you readers.

In first row, left to right, are Patricia Piechota, Dolores Krause, George Sovia, Randall Cook, Wilmer Gill, Thaddeus Istenes and Sandra Kuback.

Second row, Thomas Krezanowski, Sarah Cushman, Carol

Sturheim, Dolores Pavlik, and Janet Blair.

Third row, Victor Frederick, Patricia Rapphinski, James Lake and Patricia Misko.

Fourth row, Stephen Marcheski, Frank Vopriarek, Peter Larkin, Frank Koiri, Elizabeth Schmutz and Sister Angelina, teacher.

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Library Club Slates First Meeting of Season Tomorrow

Women's Library club of Spring City will resume activities with its first meeting of the season tomorrow afternoon in Tall Cedars temple.

Beginning with a salad, sandwich and dessert luncheon at 12:30 o'clock, a reception for new members will be held. A business meeting will be conducted at 2 o'clock.

"Our Flag and It's 19th Star" is the general theme of the program. Mrs. Edward Dill, a native of Hawaii, now a member of Spring City elementary school faculty, will discuss "Hawaiian Statehood." Several local girls accompanying Mrs. Dill will demonstrate Hawaiian dances.

Mrs. Milton L. Hoefle, Birch runville, a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, will tell the story of the flag.

Mrs. Addison L. Allen, legislation chairman, and Mrs. H. Clyde Hipple, chairman of Americanism, are in charge of the program.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Irvin Quigg and Mrs. Frank Strimmel.

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Admitted: Edward Manion, Mrs. Joseph Amadio, Frank Nagy, Olof Smildzins, Mrs. Elizabeth Dancy, all of Phoenixville; Mrs. Ross, Oaks; Henry Wortman, Mrs. Charles Kern, Spring City; John Hogan, Conshohocken.

Discharged: Mrs. Harold Spencer, Parkerford; Mrs. Albert Lessig, Mrs. John Zimmerman and son; Charles Kopp and Mrs. J. H. Bason Jr., Phoenixville; Mrs. Daniel Mosteller, Joseph Reid, Spring City; Raymond Garber, Royersford.

Birth: To Mrs. Joseph Thum, Spring City, a girl.

Home Association to Meet

A special meeting of the Home association of Royersford Post 6341 VFW will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the post headquarters.

Monticello, the home of Thomas Jefferson, is full of gadgets like hidden stairways and dumb-waiters and a clock and a weather-vane that can be read both inside and outside.

"Cash For Farmers!"

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DEATHS — FUNERALS

WILLIAM P. CHRISTY 3d, infant son of William and Della (Nuding) Christy, 438 MARKET STREET, SUNBURY, died Saturday morning at 7:30 o'clock in Sunbury Community hospital. The child was six months and five days old.

Surviving besides the parents are the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Christy, Silver Creek, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. William F. Nuding, Royersford RD 1.

Services will be conducted at the convenience of the family at the Shalkop funeral home, 132 Bridge street, Spring City, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in St. James Episcopal church cemetery, Evansburg.

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Temperatures Top 100 In Los Angeles Area

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 4 (AP) — This city continued to bake today as the mercury hit 100 in the downtown area and 101 at the airport.

Forecasters said there are indications of a weakening of the high pressure area off Nevada, which forced hot desert air westward yesterday.

Even beach communities reported high temperatures with 96 recorded at Hermosa beach.

Canadian Jet Liner Nears Record Crossing

LONDON, Oct. 4 (AP) — A Comet jet liner of the Royal Canadian Air Force sped across the Atlantic today from Goose Bay, Labrador, to London in 5 hours and 26 minutes.

The liner, which carried 29 Canadian airmen to Britain on a training mission, averaged 480 miles an hour over the 2600-mile flight.

The pilot, Wing Commander Howard Morrison, claimed the fastest time for the crossing when he landed at London airport. But the comet's speed was well behind the record time of 4 hours, 14 minutes set July 28 by a US Air Force B-47 six-jet bomber.

Hospital Discharges Victim of Auto Crash

Mrs. Eva Cozart, 45-year-old Pottstown RD 4 woman who was injured in an automobile accident Friday morning, was discharged Saturday from Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Cozart was admitted to the hospital Friday morning for X-rays and observation of possible head injuries. Her head broke the windshield of a car driven by Carrie Lee Cozart, Pottstown RD 4, with whom she was a passenger.

The accident occurred at Center avenue and Price street in a collision with a car driven by Mrs. B. Conrad Miller, 1111 Sembling avenue. Mrs. Miller's six-year-old son, Conrad Jr., was given dispensary treatment for a hump on his forehead. Mrs. Miller complained of a pain in the left knee and side.

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Trip to Niagara Falls Follows Double Ring Ceremony Uniting Nancy Alice Frocke and Charles H. Hallman



St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church was the scene of a double ring ceremony that united in marriage Nancy Alice Frocke, 44 East Second street, and Charles Harry Hallman, Pottstown RD 1. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Frocke, 44 East Second street, are the parents of the bride. Mother of the bridegroom is Mrs. Clara Hallman, Pottstown RD 1.

The Rev. C. W. Ebbert officiated before an altar decorated with palms, ferns, white chrysanthemums and candleabra.

Mrs. Charles Stout presented a recital of nuptial music before the ceremony. Robert Sider sang "Because," "O Perfect Love" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of rose point Chantilly lace and permanently pleated nylon

Tulle. The portrait neckline was edged with pleating and lace appliques.

Long tapered sleeves were pointed over the wrist. A bouffant skirt fell over a series of petticoats and extended into a train.

A Dior cloche encrusted with pearls anchored the bride's nylon tulle veil which was edged with matching lace appliques.

She wore a pearl necklace and earring set, a gift of the bridegroom, and carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid.

Peggy Frocke as maid of honor was gowned in white lace and nylon tulle over pale blue. The bodice was styled with a portrait neckline and shirred cap sleeves.

A flounce of lace enhanced the bouffant skirt. Her lace cloche

and mitts matched the gown. She carried an old-fashioned bouquet of pink, blue and white carnations tied with pink streamers.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Ronald Leidy, Boyertown. Mrs. Angy Pomponio, and Delores Frocke, both of Pottstown. Their gowns were styled identical to that of the maid of honor but had pale pink underskirts. Each carried an old-fashioned bouquet.

John Hallman, Spring City RD 1, served as best man. Ushers were: Fred Morton, Elverson RD 1; Thomas Guest, Nantmeal; and Charles Loomis, Glen Moore.

The mother of the bride chose a navy blue lace dress with pink hat and gloves. Mrs. Hallman was attired in a navy blue lace dress with a matching hat and pink gloves. Both

wore corsages of pink carnations.

A reception for 150 guests in the church social room followed the ceremony. Candles and ivy decorated the bridal table.

Upon their return from a wedding trip to Niagara Falls the newlyweds will be at home at 44 East Second street.

For going-away the bride wore a gray flannel dress with accents of yellow suede and a yellow hat. Pinned on her dress was the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

Out-of-town guests attended the wedding from Coatesville, Philadelphia and New Jersey.

The bride was graduated from the Pottstown High school with the class of 1950. She is employed in the office of the Jacobs Aircraft Engine company.

Mr. Hallman is employed by Welsh and Renninger, contractors

Dried Leaves, Soup Bones, Apple Branches Included in Exhibits at Club Luncheon

The Brookside Country club was the scene of the luncheon held by the Pottstown Garden club the past Friday.

After the pledge of allegiance to the flag, the Rev. George Eichorn sang the "Lord's Prayer." Other selections sung by the Rev. Eichorn were "Without a Song" and "I Believe." He was accompanied by Mrs. Hazel Rutter.

A short business meeting followed the luncheon.

Prizes were awarded for exhibits during the year. In the arrangement class Mrs. William Schultz won first prize; Mrs. Santino di Girolamo, second.

In the horticulture class, first prize was won by Mrs. William Schultz; other prizes went to Mrs. Harold Binder, Mrs. Wilmer Knight and Mrs. Edwin Yarnall. Fifty members had exhibited during the year.

Mrs. E. C. Phelps, Jenkintown, who exhibits at the Philadelphia Flower show, was the guest speaker.

She showed several unusual flower arrangements. The first one featured a turquoise vase with Chinese lanterns and pine. The figure of a Japanese man completed the hall arrangement.

The second arrangement had three dried leaves and little hen chickens with the figure of a deer in back of it.

A wooden container was the basis of the third arrangement which consisted of orange celosia, rose seed pods, yellow zinnias and green leaves with a pussy cat at the base.

Soup bones were the unique ornaments of the fourth arrangement. They were used as a container with blue spruce, wisteria stems and empress tree buds. At the base were two Japanese horse men.

The outstanding features of the fifth arrangement were a small shell, apple branches, red leaves, white dahlias and pink rose seed pods. They were placed upon a piece of driftwood. At the base of the shell was a fish bone in the form of a butterfly.

The club room was decorated

with flowers which the members had donated from their gardens.

With the reading of an Edgar Guest poem by the president, the meeting closed. Seventy-one members and twenty guests attending the affair.

Next meeting will be held Nov. 6 at the home of Mrs. Harry L. Christman, Frederick.

Betty R. Beswick Becomes Bride in Double Ring Nuptials

Trinity Reformed church was the scene of Saturday's wedding uniting Betty R. Beswick, 42 King street, and Ralph D. Supplee of the same address.

Approximately 50 guests were present at the double ring nuptials performed by the Rev. John B. Frantz.

To be married, the bride wore a turquoise blue suit dress with brown accessories and accented with a pink carnation corsage.

Ethel Galloway, the bride's sister, was her maid of honor. She wore a plum-colored dress with a pink carnation and baby's breath corsage.

Joshua March of Millersburg performed the duties of the best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at 42 King street.

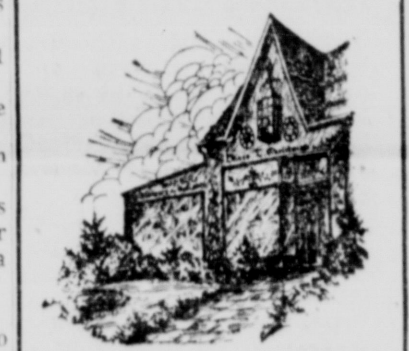
The newlyweds are spending their two-week honeymoon in New York, Lewistown and Washington, D. C. To begin their travels the bride wore a brown ensemble.

They will be at home at 42 King street after Oct. 17.

Mr. Supplee is a station operator at the gas plant of the Philadelphia Electric company.

Out-of-town guests attended the wedding from Philadelphia, New York, Washington, Millersburg and Lewistown.

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WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

Social Calendar

YMCA auxiliary—meets at 8 p. m. in the YMCA building.

Pottstown Hospital Senior auxiliary—meets at 1:15 in the nurses' home.

Ladies auxiliary of the Knights of Columbus—meets at 8 p. m. in the club room.

Episcopal Women's club of Christ Episcopal church—meets at 8 p. m. in the parish house of a Halloween party. Members are to attend masked.

Executive board of the Rupert PTA—meets at 8 p. m. in the home of H. Bert Shaw, 1318 High street.

Golden Rule class of the First Baptist church—meets at 8 p. m. in the church.

Brownies of troop 29, Emmanuel Lutheran church—meet at 4 p. m. in the church.

Ladies Bible class of Emmanuel Lutheran church—meets at 8 p. m. in the church.

Brownies of St. James Lutheran church—meet at 3:45 p. m. in the church.

Girl Scouts of St. Peter's Lutheran church, Stowe—meet at 7:30 p. m. in the church.

Chapel choir of Transfiguration Lutheran church—meets at 7 p. m. in the church.

Commission on membership and evangelism, First Methodist church—meets at 7 p. m. in the church.

WCS of the First Methodist church—meets at 7:45 p. m. in the parsonage for a study class.

Girl Scouts of troop 5, First Presbyterian church—meets at 4 p. m. in the church.

Pottstown Hospital Junior auxiliary—meets at 8 p. m. in the nurses' home.

Indian Bred Pastor To Speak at Local PTA

The program committee of the Upper Pottsgrove Township PTA has announced that the Rev. William Baur will be the guest speaker at the association's opening meeting Wednesday night.

The Rev. Baur was brought up in India and has served as a missionary there. He is planning to resume his work there in approximately a month.

The PTA meeting will be held at the school beginning at 8 p. m.

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Representatives From Three Counties Will Be Guests at Century Club Lunch

Members of the Century club are busy preparing for their opening luncheon and reciprocity day to be held at the Brookside Country club Wednesday at 12:30.

Program for the afternoon will consist of "Tales of the Celtic Renaissance," by Rosaiba Joy. Musical selections will be given by the trio.

Mrs. Richard Leh, chairman of the program committee and the following aides arranged for the entertainment: Mrs. Donald S. Cochran, Mrs. Paul L. Diefenderfer, Mrs. Harry C. Shope, Mrs. Leon S. Swavely and Mrs. Jack R. Wennersten.

A short but very important business meeting conducted by Mrs. John A. Barlow, president, will precede the program.

There will be 31 guests from out of town to participate in the luncheon and program with the club members. Three coun-

ties, Chester, Berks and Montgomery, are represented in the acceptances to the reciprocity luncheon.

Also present will be four officers from the Montgomery county Federation of Women's clubs.

Twenty-seven acceptances have been received from presidents and past presidents of other clubs in the district.

Past presidents of the Century club are acting as hostesses and will help the president receive the guests for the day.

Past president hostesses are: Mrs. Francis L. Laverty, Mrs. David Todd Jones, Mrs. John B. Evans, Mrs. Alex V. Tisdale, Mrs. Frank S. Anderson, Mrs. Charles A. Baylor, Mrs. Russell H. Shelley, Mrs. Harry L. Christman, Mrs. Carson C. Potter and Mrs. Leon W. Swavely.

Responsible for the luncheon arrangements are Mrs. C. Raymond Eppheimer, chairman of the hospitality committee, and her co-chairmen, Mrs. Arthur S. Kepner, Mrs. Walter R. Neiman and the members of the committee.

Chairman, Mrs. Maurice Mosheim, and her co-chairman, Mrs. Howard Bartholomew, assisted by members of the decorating committee are busy planning colorful floral arrangements for the luncheon tables.

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in the First Methodist church of Pottstown will be appointed by Miss Ecker.

During the meeting knitted squares will be received for the afghan being made for the Coatesville General hospital.

Members as well as their friends are invited to attend the session.

A chapter of the study book, "The American Way — the Temperance Reformation of 1813-55," will be reviewed by Mrs. W. F. Maloney.

A White Ribbon recruit service will be conducted by the president, Laura R. Ecker. "Union Signal News Flashes," will be given by Mrs. Roy Kinckner. The president will be in charge of the business meeting.

Committees for the county convention to be held Oct. 15

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Obituaries

ADELLA J. PORTER, 85, 447½ BEECH STREET, sister of Dr. J. Elmer Porter and Samuel H. Porter, died yesterday morning at her home after being ill for the past six months.

She was born at Porters Mill, Chester county, and lived there all her life until five years ago when she moved to the Beech street address.

She was a daughter of the late Samuel H. and Elizabeth (Greenoff) Porter.

Her brother Dr. J. Elmer Porter, lives at 344 High street. Samuel H. lives at 547 High street.

She was a member of Brownbach's Evangelical and Reformed church and was a former teacher at the church Sunday school.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday from the Wilson Funeral home, 711 North Franklin street, with the Rev. Lloyd Sandt, former pastor of Brownbach's church and at present pastor of St. James Evangelical and Reformed church, Allentown, officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

EDWIN I. SWOYER, 73, POTTS-TOWN RD 2, husband of the late Ida (Batz) Swoyer, died in Embreeville hospital, Chester county, yesterday morning at 4:45 o'clock.

He had been ill since the past February. Born in Berks county, he was the son of the late Harry and Catherine (Albright) Swoyer.

He lived at his present address for the past 38 years and in this area all of his life. He was a retired puddler and also farmed the greater part of his life.

He was a member of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, South Pottstown.

He leaves four daughters, Elsie, wife of William H. Beckley, 307 Elm street, South Pottstown; Mabel, wife of Clayton Ingram, Han-

over Heights; Edna Swoyer, California; and Sarah Swoyer, Philadelphia.

Two sons, Lloyd, California, and Warren, Reading; nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He was the last of his immediate family.

Funeral services will be from the Houck Funeral home, 112 North Washington street, Wednesday at 2 p. m., with the Rev. John's Lutheran church, officiating. Interment will be in the New Hanover Lutheran cemetery.

MRS. NORA (YOST) PEARSON, widow of William O. Pearson, died Friday night at her home, 1530 MAIN STREET, TRAPPE.

Mrs. Pearson was a member of the Augustus Lutheran church, Trappe. She was born in Baltimore, Md.

Survivors include two daughters, Edna Eakin and Marie Vivian Pearson, both at home, and one granddaughter.

Funeral services will be held privately tomorrow from the late home. The Rev. Kenneth Sharp, pastor of Augustus Lutheran church, and the Rev. Paul L. Yount, a former supply pastor, will officiate. Interment will be in charge of the Franks funeral home, Trappe.

Funeral services for **MARY A. FRITZ**, widow of John Fritz Sr., were held Saturday from her late residence at POTTS-TOWN LAND-ING. Requiem high mass was celebrated at 9 a. m. at St. John's Greek Catholic church by the Rev. John Tapich, pastor.

Interment was in St. John's Greek Catholic cemetery. Bearers were Thomas Halko,

John Hornyak, John Holingjah, Michael Gresko, Edward Woyton and Michael Barlos.

The INFANT SON of Thomas and Maggie (Foster) DAVISON, 307 CHESTNUT STREET, died in Pottstown hospital Saturday.

Private funeral services will be held at the convenience of the family from the Fleischmann funeral home, 726 High street.

Interment will be in Highland Memorial park.

Funeral services for **WILLIAM G. ZIEGLER**, SCHWENKSVILLE, were held Saturday at 2 p. m. from the Franks funeral home, Trappe. The Rev. William C. Leopold, pastor of Jerusalem Lutheran church, officiated.

Interment was in Schwenksville cemetery.

Funeral services for **EVA (BOALTON) LEVENGOD**, wife of L. Herman Levengood, POTTS-TOWN RD 3, will be held from the Houck funeral home, 112 North Washington street, tomorrow at 2 p. m.

The Rev. Howard A. Kosman, pastor of Zion's Reformed church, will officiate. Interment will be in Mt. Zion cemetery.

Ten Members Accepted By St. Gabriel's Lodge

Ten new members were accepted last night at a meeting of St. Gabriel's lodge.

President Joseph Zangrilli presided at the meeting, attended by 35 persons.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths 1

SAYLOR—In Schwenksville on Wednesday, Sept. 30, 1953, George Washington, husband of Minnie (Noll) Saylor, age 73 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schumacher Funeral Home, 358 King St., on Monday at 2 p. m. Officiating is the Rev. William C. Leopold, pastor of Jerusalem Lutheran church, officiating. Interment will be in the New Hanover Lutheran cemetery. Sunday evening 7 to 8:30. (Schumacher)

SWOYER—On Sunday, Oct. 4, 1953, Edwin I., husband of the late Ida (Batz) Swoyer, aged 73 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Houck Funeral Home, 112 N. Washington St., on Wednesday, Oct. 7 at 2 p. m. Interment in New Hanover Lutheran cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Tuesday evening, 7 to 8:30. (Houck)

LEVENGOD—On Friday Oct. 2, 1953, Eva (Boalton), wife of L. Herman Levengood, aged 79 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the services from the Houck Funeral Home, 112 N. Washington St., on Tuesday, Oct. 6 at 2 p. m. Interment in Mt. Zion cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Monday evening, 7 to 9. (Houck)

PORTER—On Sunday, Oct. 4, 1953, Adella J. Porter, of 447½ Beech St., age 85 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from Wilson Funeral Home, 711 N. Franklin St., on Thursday, Oct. 6, 1953 at 2 p. m. Interment in Brownbach's Reformed Church cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday evening, 7 to 8:30. (Wilson)

DILG—On Friday, Oct. 2, 1953, Anna (Pidgeon) Dilg, wife of the late Leon C. Dilg, age 82 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Houck Funeral Home, 404 High St., on Tuesday, Oct. 6, 1953 at 11 a. m. Interment in Fernwood cemetery, Philadelphia. Friends may call at the funeral home Monday evening, 7 to 8:30. (Harley)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Card of Thanks 2

FRITZ
The family of the late Mary A. Fritz desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy, floral tributes, spiritual bouquets and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

In Memoriam 3

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The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids shall be in the hands of the Secretary by 8:00 P. M., EST., Monday, October 5, 1953.
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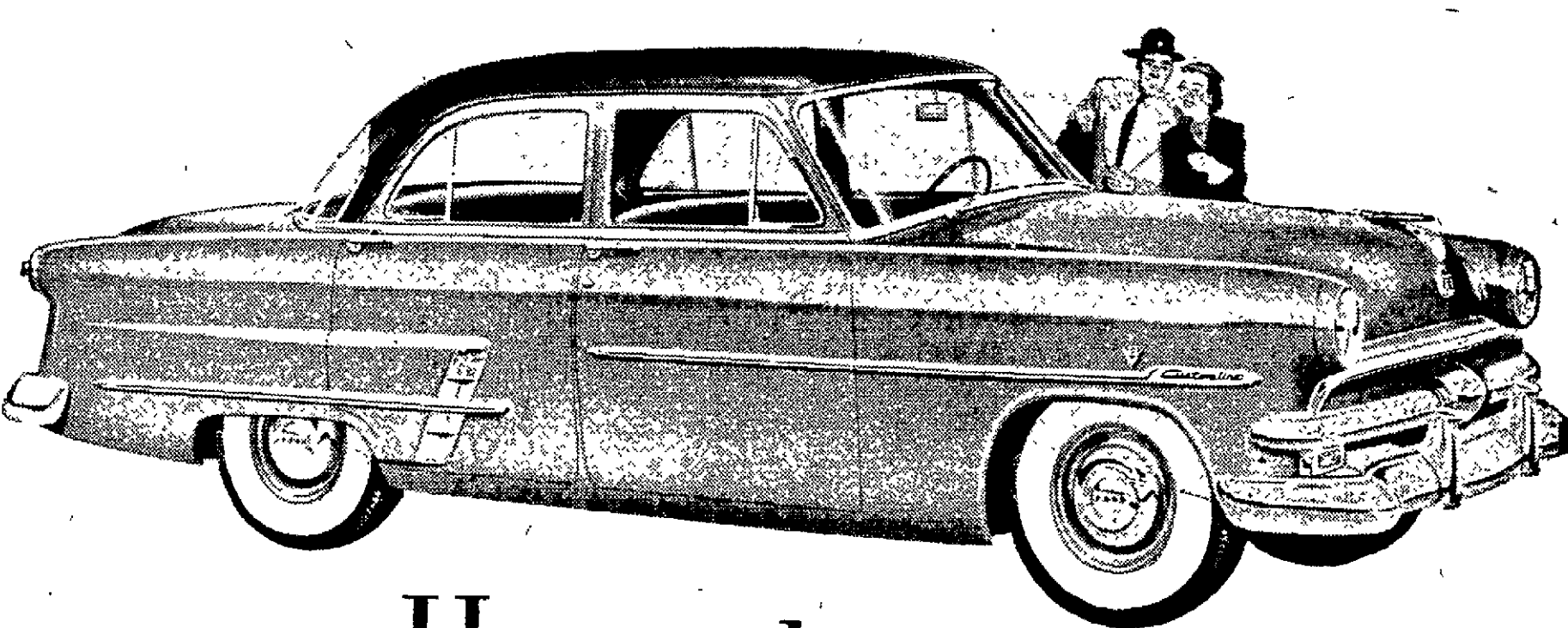
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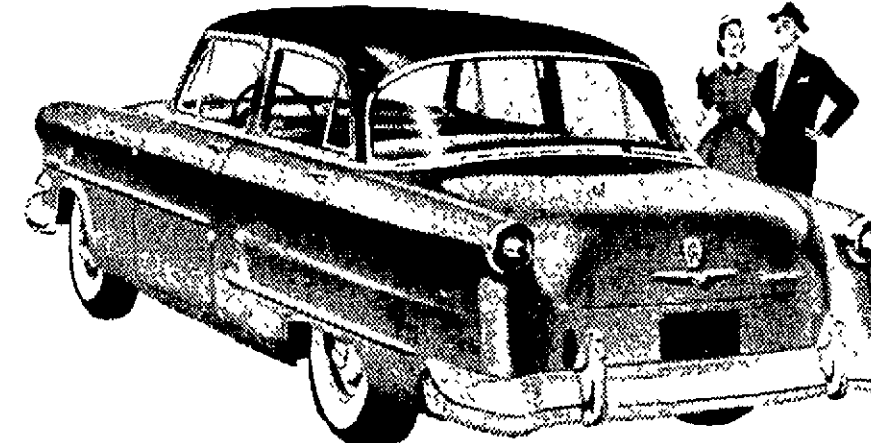
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Charles Schwoyer, 804 Warren street, 3 years old.

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Bonita Drumheller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Drumheller, Sanatoga, 7 years old.

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Mrs. John Schirk, Spring Mount.
Robert W. Ellis, Boyertown RD 2, 4 years old.
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Elaine Krigolo, 525 Berks street, Stowe, 12 years old.
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Mrs. William Gangaway, Pottstown RD 4.

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Johnny Lee Schaeffer, Linfield.
Ronald Conino, 130 South Franklin street, 10 years old.

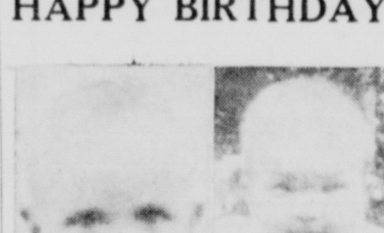
Larry Endy, Boyertown RD 1.
Cathryn M. Sanders, Salford.

Sterling Fronheiser, Box 37, Barto.
Ronald B. Bieber, Oley, 4 years old.

Ester M. Carl, Spring City RD 1.
George Levegood, 50 Warwick Settlement.

Jo Ann Ellison, Unit C1, Penn Village, 6 years old.

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Joe Elane, 112 North Evans street.
Mrs. Lerby Stillings, 359 Walnut street.

Sandra Messer, 836 Queen street, 1 year old.
Randall Harry Smith, Spring City, 3 years old.

Isaac C. Yoder, Barto, 92 years old.
Corporal Thomas B. Roup, 52 West Fourth street.

Jacob Fleisch Jr., son of Jacob Fleisch, 406 Lincoln avenue.
Pfc. Edward Saylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Saylor, 358 Apple street.

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Engineering Is Promising Field for Girls With a Real Love of Scientific Things

By ARTHUR EDSON
(AP Newsfeatures Writer)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4 (AP)—College girls everywhere are trooping back to school these days, and Katharine Stinson hopes many of them plan to study engineering.

For Miss Stinson is president of the Society of Women Engineers, a nationwide organization of ladies who will fight at the drop of a monkey wrench any idea that girls can't be as good engineers as men. "Better in some jobs," Miss Stinson said firmly.

The society has around 400 members, and this year it's trying to encourage girls to enter such professions as electrical, mechanical or civil engineering.

Miss Stinson thinks there are two reasons why so many girls never even think of engineering as a possible career.

To many, she thinks, an engineer is a tough guy wearing boots, bossing a construction job. Yet many an engineering position calls for a steady diet of desk work, at which, Miss Stinson feels, a girl may shine.

Secondly, she feels too many people are convinced an engineer has to be a mathematical genius. Miss S. thinks that angle is overstressed. What's important, she

Morning Ceremony Unites Nancy Brower, Robert Swavely Jr.

Nancy Jane Brower became the bride of Robert Levegood Swavely Jr. at a double ring ceremony performed Saturday in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Birdsboro.

The Rev. James Burgoyne officiated at the morning nuptials.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brower, Douglassville RD 1. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swavely, Pottstown RD 1.

A pale pink ballerina length gown was the bride's choice as her wedding dress. With it she wore silver slippers, a small white veiled hat and a single strand of pearls. Her corsage was of yellow roses.

Joseph Schutz, uncle of the groom, gave the bride in marriage and was also best man.

Mrs. Joseph Schutz was the matron of honor. She wore a pale lavender ballerina length gown with silver slippers. Her corsage was also of yellow roses.

Both the bride and the groom attended North Coventry High school. He is a member of their 1952 graduating class and is presently working as a carpenter.

The newly married couple is residing at 645 Chestnut street.

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All women engineers are occupational descendants of Edith Julia Griswold, electrical engineer, New York City Normal, 1886.

After Edith Julia, the supply of girl engineers remained steady, but few. Not until World War II was there a pronounced change in the pattern. Then the demand for engineers became so great that some companies even paid the tuition for girls of promise.

The peak came in 1948, with 191 girl engineering graduates. That number has fallen off until last Spring only 60 girls were graduated in engineering.

Miss Stinson, who has a boyish grin that recalls the late Amelia Earhart, is proof enough that a girl can do all right in the business.

Twelve years ago when she got out of North Carolina State—its first and, as far as she knows, its only girl engineering graduate—she headed for the Civil Aeronautics Administration.

The CAA never has hired another woman engineer, but the one it did hire has become head of its specifications division.

For Miss Stinson, the path of aeronautical engineering was as straight as the crow flies or the stratosphere cruiser.

To her parents' consternation, when she was a youngster in Raleigh, N. C., she used to hang around the airport. She learned to take a plane apart, and, possibly more important, put it back together. When she was 16, she learned to fly one.

"I always was crazy about airplanes," she said. "Still am."

So if your daughter has a scientific or mechanical bent and maybe likes to lurk around hangars, let her lurk. Miss Stinson proves it may pay off.

Marriage Licenses

Application for marriage license was made in the Berks county courthouse, Reading, by:

Donald L. Moyer, Gilbertsville, and Shirley R. Hoppes, Shanesville. Application for marriage license was made in the Montgomery county courthouse, Norristown, by:

Fred C. Griesemer, 381 State street, and Annie Scheiffel, 1031 Queen street, both of Pottstown. Application for marriage licenses were made in the Chester county courthouse, West Chester, by:

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Teenagers Display Bizarre Outfits At 'Come As You Are' Breakfast

Gym suits, night gowns and pajamas were nothing out of the ordinary in the way of dress at the Memorial Hospital Teenagers' "Come as you are breakfast," Saturday morning.

Notification of the affair was

Brownie Troop 23 Makes Dolls From Acorns and Leaves

The making of dolls to resemble themselves was the highlight of the Saturday meeting of Brownie troop 23. The dolls, made from acorns and leaves, were painted and assembled by the girls. They will be on display during Girl Scout week.

The meeting was held at 1:30 at the First Presbyterian church.

Leader for the flag ceremony was Diane Kendig.

Color bearers were Gail Schneider and Cynthia Griffith; color guards included Sally Clapp, Barbara Berger, Leslie Maloney and Beth Hendricks.

They closed with the friendship circle taps and the Girl Scout benediction.

Others present were Sherry Boyer, Suzanne Clapp, Helen Clair, Frederick, Gail Hart, Peggy Missimer, Barbara Mohler, Marsha Moyer, Mary Rowland, JoAnn Schumacher, Kathryn Sensenig, Anita Sorg, Olga Symonovich, Jane and Kathryn Weikel, Susan Williams and Mary Jo Zukoski.

Visitors present were Jane Keene, Carol Jones and Gail Peterman.

Leaders were: Mary Keller, Helen Spangenberg and Doris Malone.

YMCA Pool Opens Today

Mrs. William Eagle, swimming instructor at the YMCA, has announced that the repairs on the YMCA pool have been completed and beginning tonight there will be swimming every Monday night for girls and adults from 7 to 8 p. m.

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given to the members late Friday night and early Saturday morning . . . and, you had to dress for the breakfast as you were when you received the news.

One girl attended in a hockey suit, another had on a blouse, but no skirt, and one lass appeared with one shoe off and one shoe on!

Between 30 and 40 girls attended the affair held in the nurses' home at 8 a. m.

Roberta McMann and her committee were in charge of the breakfast. Refreshments were served by Elizabeth Yanovich and Nancy Loughney.

Following the repast the surgical group wrapped bandages for three hours.

Yesterday afternoon the group met for its regular monthly meeting. Ann Maxwell, president, was in charge.

Miss Dorothy Hogan, a representative from the Norris-town Bell Telephone office was presented the program entitled, "Your Voice Is You."

The audience heard recordings of good and bad voices, listened to recordings of their own voices and received pamphlets on exercises

to improve their speech. Eleven new members were present at the meeting. They were: Carole Dininni, Louise Fakete, Nancy Schurr, Carol Swartzkopf, Lucille Mest, Ruth Slavek, Jane Wetherhold, Rosemary Lignelli, Eleanor Frech, Marie Erb and Ruth Gaugler.

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There will also be a special meeting of the hospital service group, Saturday. All girls that do hospital work should be present. Mrs. Virginia Harris, director of nurses, will speak

about the new system and schedule for work that's been put into effect.

Plans are also being made for the next meeting of the group which will feature a fashion show. The affair will be held the first or second Sunday in November at the YWCA.

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Norristown Bride, Jean Derecola, Weds Pottstonian In Marriage Rites Performed in St. Aloysius Church



NEWLYWEDS Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Raffeo are shown here following a ceremony performed in St. Aloysius church. The bride was formerly Jean Derecola, 366 Cherry street. Mr. Raffeo is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Raffeo, Norristown. The couple is spending a week's honeymoon in the Poconos.

An afternoon ceremony in St. Aloysius church united in marriage Jean Derecola, 366 Cherry street, and Vincent Raffeo, Norristown. Mrs. Rose Derecola is the mother of the bride. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Gus Raffeo, Norristown.

The Rev. George Hiller performed the double ring rites before an altar banked with gladioli and snapdragons.

Eleanor Kurtz, organist, and Geraldine Guthrie, vocal soloist,

presented a recital of nuptial music preceding the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her brother, Chris Derecola, the bride wore a white gown of Chantilly lace and tulle over satin. The lace bodice was styled with a jewel neckline and a sheer yoke.

Long tapered sleeves were pointed over the bride's hands. The entire bodice of the gown was embellished with seed pearls and sequins. Her bouffant skirt ex-

posed a full skirt was made of pleated tulle as was her fitted cloche. She carried a bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis.

Bridesmaids were Lena Raffeo and Jerry Zawaski. Their gowns were styled identical to that of the matron of honor. Miss Raffeo wore blue while Miss Zawaski chose green.

Serving as best man was Sam Solomone. Ushers were

Anthony Nacarrelli and Vincent Russo.

The mother of the bride was attired in a rose lace dress accented with black accessories. The groom's mother chose a navy lace dress with navy accessories. Both wore corsages of white orchids.

A reception in St. Peter's hall followed the ceremony. Decorations were white crepe paper streamers.

After a week's honeymoon in the Poconos the couple will be at

home in their newly furnished apartment on Franklin street.

For going-away the bride wore a black faille suit with black velvet accessories and the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

The bride attended the Pottstown schools and is employed by the Pottstown Shirt factory.

Mr. Raffeo is a graduate of the Norristown high school and is employed by the Plymouth Valley Country club, Plymouth Valley.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. John Slatowski, 693 Logan street, became the parents of a boy on Friday night in the Memorial hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rhoads, Boyertown RD 2, on Saturday in the Memorial hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zimmerman, Park avenue, Fairview Village, a boy was born on Saturday in the Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Skapnit became the parents of a girl yesterday in the Memorial hospital. The Skapnits are residents of Pottstown RD 1.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Weeks, Seventh avenue, Collegeville, yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl High, Pottstown RD 2, became the parents of a girl yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart, 750 Willow street, yesterday. He was delivered in the Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Canfield, 1046 High street, became the parents of a girl yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Paup, 315 South street, on Saturday in the Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hessler became the parents of a boy yesterday in the Pottstown hospital. The Hesslers are residents of Pottstown RD 3.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Supco, 714 Center street, Stowe, yesterday in the Pottstown hospital.

A daughter was born to the Rev. and Mrs. Harper L. Schneek, Boyertown, recently in the Reading hospital.

New Furs Available In Variety of Styles

By DOROTHY ROE

(Associated Press Fashion Editor)

If you're going shopping for a new fur coat, you have a wider choice than ever before.

You may find a greater variety of furs, a wider range of colors, a choice of silhouettes and a scale of prices to suit almost any taste, figure and budget.

The first thing to decide before you start to "look," experts

advise, is what kind of a fur coat fits your needs, and what you can afford to pay.

If you commute every day, for instance, you want a sturdy fur that will stand the gaff, be casual enough for every-day wear yet

dressy enough to see you through an evening in town.

If your budget is limited, you have a choice of a number of handsome furs, such as blonde, natural or dyed muskrat, sheared raccoon, American broadtail, sheared fox and the college girl's standby, mouton lamb.

These are available this year in both short and long styles, and in tones ranging from blonde to the deep browns and blacks.

Consider your figure, also before you buy a fur coat.

If you are the average height, 5 feet 5 or under, avoid bulky furs, wide shoulders, elaborate drape. The slim, straight silhouette is best for you.

If you are tall and willowly, you can get away with the extreme styles, such as Dior's tulip silhouette, rounded and draped above the belt, stem slim below.

81-Year-Old Man and Daughter-in-Law Celebrate Birthdays at Dinner Party

Harry Bauman and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charles Bauman, were guests of honor recently at a birthday party given by Mrs. Florence Endy, Pottstown RD 3, daughter of Mr. Bauman.

Mrs. Bauman observed her birthday on Sept. 28 while Mr. Bauman was 81 years old on

Oct. 3.

A roast turkey and baked ham dinner was served. Gifts were opened by the honored guests and games were played.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clair Shurr and children, Mr. and Mrs. Martin, Thomas, Carolyn, Linda and Donna, Stonersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Haring and children, Gerald and Robert, Pottstown RD 3; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Endy and children, Robert and

The party was held at Mrs. Wynn's home, 1053 Queen street.

Green and white crepe paper streamers with a large plastic stork suspended over a bassinet was the center of attraction. The theme of the affair was also carried out in the table decorations where a baby in a bassinet adorned the cake.

Present at the shower were: Mrs. Marvin Maurey, Mrs. Ernest Renninger, Mrs. Wilmer Moyer, Mrs. Robert Reis, Mrs. Carl Harp, Mrs. Neil Steinbraker, Mrs. Earl Mock, Mrs. Richard Moyer, Mrs. Douglas Moyer, Mrs. Eden Renninger.

Gifts were sent by the following unable to attend: Mrs. Walter Ellis, Grace Yergey, Mrs. John Gilbert and Mrs. Jack Eck.

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'Mr. Stork' Is Center of Attraction At Shower Given Mrs. Granville Waldt

Mrs. Granville Waldt, 618 Wilson street, was guest of honor recently at a stork shower given her by Mrs. Robert Diehl, 624 Wilson street.

Highlighting the living room was a gaily decorated sprinkling can suspended from the ceiling. Gifts were found at the end of the pink and blue streamers cascading from it.

After the gifts were opened, refreshments were served by the hostess.

Attending the shower were Mrs. John Kuhns, Mrs. Michael Sedlock, Mrs. Esther Hartenbauer, Mrs. Joseph Marsden, Mrs. William Reynolds and children, Susie and Billie; Mrs. Robert Watkins.

Mrs. James Cortellucci, Mrs. Mary Ziebert, Mrs. Robert Kepner and daughter, Debbie; Mrs. Clarence Mayberry and daughter, Sandy; Mrs. Waldt, guest of honor, the hostess, Mrs. Diehl and daughter Diane.

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Perhaps You Too Need a Quick Course In Proper Glove Use

Gloves are the most neglected item in the average woman's wardrobe, according to a recent survey by a national fashion group.

Eighty-eight percent of the women queried said that they owned only one pair of really good gloves, seven single gloves—the mates to which had been lost—and three pairs in varying states of disrepair.

The survey also showed that most women were confused as to the proper type of glove to wear with a particular costume.

As a result, glove manufacturers and fashion stylists were consulted for suggestions on the ideal glove wardrobe. This is what they recommended:

1. For casual wear, a pair of textured leathers like pig, ostrich or crocodile. They come in a wide range of colors for wearing as color-contrast with new winter casuals.

2. For active sports, a sturdy pair of heavy capskins lined with fur or alpaca.

3. For daytime wear, a pair of pastel-tinted kid lined with silk or cashmere in gay, contrasting tones. As second choice, a pair of white or natural chamois leathers, so launderable they can be whisked right into the washing machine.

4. For afternoon wear, a pair of six-button lengths in gleaming kid or soft suede leather worn smartly crushed at the wrist-line.

5. For evening, a pair of long white kid—eight-button length for cocktail ensembles or luxury shoulder length for elegant formal wear.

Of the wearers of gloves in the United States, 56 percent are females and 44 percent males.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1953

We do not count a man's years until
he has nothing else to count.—Ralph
Waldo Emerson.

Look Out For Fire!

THIS week is Fire Prevention Week.
As such it is being officially observed
in Pottstown and throughout the nation.
But so far as every man, woman and child
is concerned, every week should be marked
with ways and means to prevent
fires.
The cost of fire
is terrific.
It is a tragic fact
that 11,000 persons
die every year as a
result of fire. Still more tragic is the fact
that at least 2000 are children, most of them
under five years old.
And during the past year there were
300,566 residential fires in cities of 2500 and
over — 6790 more than the previous year.
In 1952 the nation's farm fire loss was \$133
million.

"Fire Feeds on Careless Deeds."
That's the slogan of Fire Prevention
Week, for the National Fire Protection
Association reports that 90 percent of all
fires are directly due to carelessness and
indifference to fire hazards.

Pottstown civic interests will stress fire
prevention in many ways this week. School
children will be given comic books on the im-
portance of avoiding fires; spot checks of
down town business institutions will be made
to determine if there are any fire hazards
present. In addition fire prevention will be
a topic of discussion of club meetings.

You can play an important role in life
by safeguarding yourself, your property and
that of others by exercising precaution and
fire safety habits. Carelessness with matches
and smoking accounted for almost one-sixth
of the total number of building fires in 1952.

Remember, don't smoke in bed, don't
toss lighted matches or cigarettes into waste
paper baskets, in brush or wooded areas, or
in any place where they might come in con-
tact with other inflammable materials.

The time of the year is close at hand
when furnace fires are being lit—take
every precaution here; check the chimney,
make certain that your furnace is in
good condition. Don't pile rubbish or any
other materials near stoves or furnaces.

Keeping electrical equipment clean and
in good repair can also prevent fire.

Protect yourself and your family; protect
the woodlands and wildlife—be fire conscious
at all times and make it a habit never to be
careless with anything which might cause
a fire.

How Not to Do It

THE Army's new Chief of Staff, Gen. Mat-
thew B. Ridgway, has established a perma-
nent committee to study ways and means
to increase the appeal of an Army career.

The failure of the military life to attract
as many high caliber men as are needed and
the departure from the Army of many who
would be valuable to it have been a serious
worry to such leaders as Gen. Omar N.
Bradley for a long time. The new commit-
tee, which consists of seven high-ranking of-
ficers, headed by Maj. Gen. Robert N. Young,
Assistant Chief of Staff for Personnel, has the
blessing of Defense Secretary Charles E.
Wilson.

There can be no doubt as to the value of
such a study. The need for keeping our de-
fense in able hands does not need to be
argued. But it is ironical that such an effort
should be announced just as the Air Force,
for example, is dropping some 6500 officers,
many of whom can now properly be described
as hardship cases.

At the end of World War II, the defense
services urged men to stay in uniform to as-
sist in the national security. The patriotic
appeal persuaded many to continue in ser-
vice and there are a lot of officers who gave
up opportunities to return to civilian occupa-
tions seven or eight years ago. Now an un-
determined number of these are being drop-
ped, and at a time when industry is experi-
encing more than a few layoffs. There are
Air Force officers who feel that a promise to
them has been broken and who can deny it?

The new committee in Secretary Wilson's
defense department has work to do all right
and one of the first items it might well list
is this sudden retirement of officers who might
have made their careers in the Air Force.

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS,
October 4.
Editor, The Mercury,
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Some dental feller says the human face
is gettin' smaller. Wal, it looks like it ain't
only the Orientals who are losin' face these days. He
says men used to have 40
teeth. Now they've got 32
and most of 'em store
choppers. Next thing you
know the only teeth
around will be those on
saws.

'N' now the Baltimore
Orioles are in the big lea-
gues. The Phils used to be
the Blue Jays. That would
be a world series for the birds.
So this is fire prevention week, huh? Wal,
if a feller does his work right, he don't have
to worry about preventin' hein' fired.
Hopin' you air the same,
GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

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READERS SAY:

Mother Raps Football Fans' Behaviour

Scores Behaviour

To the Editor: I'm writing you in the
hopes that the guilty party or parties will
come in contact with it. I'm a parent
who considers it a privilege to be one,
not a burden.

I try hard to see the modern ways and
beliefs, but when it comes to destroying
and perhaps doing bodily harm, I draw
the line. Times have changed and each
day we become more modern than our
grandparents.

I believe, though, that basic childhood
training and the start we give our chil-
dren will never change as long as God
gives us the privilege of being a parent.
Everything must have a good foundation
for it to have lasting worth.

Recently my child attended the Senior
High school football game. While there,
she was hit on the head; that was not
enough—she then was covered with
chocolate milk. A cleaner will tell that
is very hard to get out of clothing, and
if cold water is not put on immediately,
it will not come out at all.

So, for the one football game for
which we bought a ticket, we have a
cleaner's bill, a headache and a disturbed
view of the game for our child.

Not only was our child covered with
chocolate milk, but also many other
persons were. The throwing continued
throughout the game. If the guilty ones

have no respect for others, don't they
realize that the destruction of food is a
sin?
Pottstown A PARENT

Lauds Generosity

To the Editor: I am sending \$10 for
the Prisoner of War fund. I enjoyed the
items and pictures in the paper. Those
men could tell some stories and I know
they are glad to be home again with
their loved ones.

I think it was such a nice thing for
The Mercury to do. The generosity of
your readers must have been appreciated
by the families of the men.

I, too, was grateful to Pottstown for
the many letters I received from your
readers after mention in the All Around
the Town column.
New Bedford, Mass.
MRS. DANIEL E. BAUER

Urges Cleaning

To the Editor: Now that fire pre-
vention week is almost here, it would do
well for all Pottstonians to clean up the
trash in their backyards and remove the
fire menaces.

There are a good many Pottstown resi-
dents who flagrantly violate safety codes
by not keeping their backyards clear of
debris.

Also, people ought to check their
attics. My brother's home burned down

because he had spontaneous combustion
occur in his attic.

I hope the spirit of prevention catches
on. Instead of one week of the year
stressing fire prevention, every week
ought to be set aside.
Pottstown READER

Talented

To the Editor: Who is that certain
police officer who has such an amazing
talent?

Without leaning against the doorway,
he can close his eyes and go to sleep
standing up.
Pottstown MOTORIST

Brazen Act

To the Editor: Who was that lovely
girl who whistled at me when I walked
out of a local drug store the other day?
Her brazenness was exceeded only by
her lack of front teeth.
Pottstown BLONDE HAired BOY

Lauds Program

To the Editor: I sure was glad to read
that more Pottstown streets will be built.
I'm sick of being jolted and having my
head knocked against the ceiling every
time I drive along the present streets.

It seems the only good street in Pott-
stown is High street, and I don't live on
that.
Pottstown MOTORIST

The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

Miss Midnight's Notebook

NOT MANY things are on the upgrade
in this wicked world, but the debutante
is.

H-bombs threaten, taxes are too high,
strikes are rampant, muggers stalk the
side streets, politicians are crass,
subversives bore and most things are
in a terrible mess, but the state of the
deb has improved.
It seems like all
of two or three years
since an 18-year-old
with a couple of
lines in the Social
register has hired
herself a Broadway
press agent and
given him the green
light to get her name
into print in con-
nection with anything from a charity ball
to Bruce Cabot.

It's all of that since a debutante has
been barred from the Stork Club for
conduct unbecoming a stavedore. The
darlings slated to bow to society this Fall
are unlikely to comb page boy bobs over
the pre-luncheon martinis, get arrested
for speeding, or make the front pages by
slugging a ball player in Glennon's bar;
that sort of thing is demode, and good
ridance. Nobody, this year, is out to be-

come Debutante Number One, which in
most cases in the past actually meant
Debutante Most Willing To Do Anything
To Get Her Picture In The Papers but
that is unlikely to happen this year
because none of the young ladies appears
to be competing with Marilyn Monroe.

A forty-ish Hollywood actress and
her much younger bridegroom are
putting on a good show of honey-
moon, but they have reached the
usual understanding with an unusual
design for living.

One of the lawyers involved in the
Jelke case owes several hundred dol-
lars in bar tabs at a midtown spot,
and can't pay it—he says—because
he still hasn't received a dime for
his work in the trial.

A WEST COAST story that would have
knocked Rita Hayworth and Dick Haymes
off the front pages was narrowly
missed when one of the screen's most
lush blonde sirens asked an ugly but in-
teresting actor to run off with her, and
he declined on the grounds that he was
married.

The most startled member of the cast
would have been her best beau, famous
but not in show business. A color-
ful opera star had to scrap his autobio-
graphy because his wife objected to the
frank romantic revelations. Some of
the chapters read like the Kinsey report.

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

HARRY HOGAN is the popular per-
sonnel director of the famous J. L. Hud-
son department store in Detroit.

Earlier this year he "chaperoned" me
for a number of talks to the entire staff
of the store, which includes over 12,000
employees.

Because they couldn't all be away
from their jobs at once, I addressed them
1000 at a time in the big auditorium on
the 12th floor.

It took me three days to cover the
entire group. I'd speak to 1000 at 9:15
a. m. Then I'd take another 1000 at 10
a. m.

I received a chance to rest during the
noon hour, but at 3:30 p. m. I encoun-
tered a third group of 1000 and gave my
fourth speech to another 1000 at 4:15.

Next day I'd start all over again. But
Hogan made two speeches for each one of
mine, for he always opened each session
with a gracious five minutes of intro-
duction which got the audience laughing
and enthusiastic.

Then I'd trail along on his coattails
with my 30-minute talk, after which he'd
again wrap up the program with an-
other deft little concluding talk. He was
the perfect example of what a talented
chairman should be.

YOU READERS might also be interest-
ed in knowing that of the 12,000 em-
ployees in this mammoth department
store, there are about 4000 at the coun-
ters.

The other 8000 are employed in other
capacities behind the scenes, either as
stockroom workers, elevator operators,
carpenters, rug men, accountants,
drivers of delivery cars, etc.

So this 2:1 ratio shows that the actual
sales force makes up only about one-
third of the large department store
organization.

I WAS PERSONALLY interested in
the efficient way in which the different
managers arranged to fill that 1000-
capacity auditorium so many times with-
out disrupting the smooth efficiency of
the store.

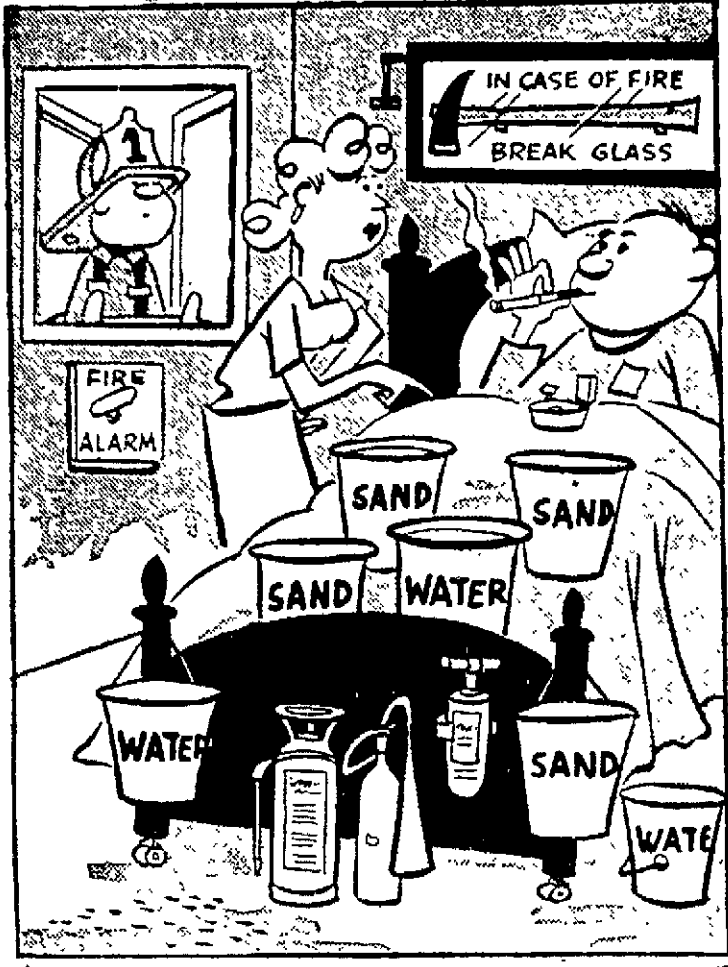
Apparently, the managers delegated
one worker out of every 12 to attend a
given lecture. The other 11 were always
on the job.

Thus, the store meanwhile kept run-
ning smoothly. And each audience was
a complete mixture of every type of
worker, ranging from the top executives
to representatives of every department.

(Always write to Dr. Crane in care
of this newspaper, enclosing a long 3c
stamp, addressed envelope and a
dime to cover typing and printing costs
when you send for one of his psy-
chological charls.)

"NOW, IF YOU MUST SMOKE"

ALL AROUND THE TOWN.



See Today's Editorial, "Look Out For Fire"

Forgotten Train . . .

Vivid Descriptions . . .

* WHO CARES?—That last passenger
run of the Pennsy yesterday caused few
tears to fall despite the fact that once
upon a time the Pennsy trackage was a
vital link between Pottstown and the rest
of the nation. In the telephone book
you'll find the Pennsylvania railroad pas-
senger station still listed, although years
ago the station became a beer distribut-
ing point. A query to the number listed
in the phone book for information on the
last train brought the reply, "Gee, I
don't even know where the train stops
in Pottstown!"

IN KOREA — PVT. RICHARD J.
EDDINGER, son of TITUS EDDING-
ER, 30 South Washington street,
Boyertown, has arrived in Korea for
duty with the 40th Infantry division.
Private Eddinger, who is a Boyer-
town High school grad, worked for
the Boyertown Packaging service
before joining the Army the past
March. . . PVT. WILLIAM J. FEN-
NELL, husband of MRS. HELENE
FENNELL, Pottstown RD 1, who is
with an AAA group at Calonsville,
Md., has been promoted to private
first class. . . MARSHALL W. EKR,
1025 Walnut street, is serving with
the Navy aboard the attack transport
USS Rockbridge as boatswain's mate
in the Mediterranean area.

* THEY SAW METEORS—You've all
heard of the horse of another color, but
how about a meteor? Area residents
gave vivid descriptions of falling meteors
in their calls to Mercury reporters the
past week.

Here are a few samples:
"It was a greenish-blue bright ball of
fire which resembled a reddish streak
and had a long tail."
"It looked yellowish-white, with a
head as big as a basketball and short
tail."
"The meteor was a round ball of fire
with a reddish-orange color which turned
green as it faded away."

WILLARD SCHULTZ, president of
the Pottstown Amateur Astronomy club,
said it is hard to tell what has brought
on the relatively large number of
meteors in the sky. "A new comet might
be throwing meteors off, or perhaps the
earth has gone through the tail of a dead
comet," he conjectured.

BEST FRIEND—Since diamonds
are a girl's best friend, this dept. did
a little diamond digging at Stone's
the other day and was able to
weedeel this info from Father Karl
and Son Bill who operate that dia-
mond mart.

* BIG DECISION — At least 75 per
cent of men shop alone for the engage-
ment ring. They feel this is one thing
that should be a sort of surprise. Occa-
sionally, though, the girl goes with the
guy but mostly to pick the setting, after
which, now and then ahead of time, the
boy friend confides to the jeweler how
much he wants to dish out. That way the
girl controls the style of the setting, the
boy controls the price. Nice friendly ar-
rangement, huh? If the fellow needs a
little help, most jewelers are in a posi-
tion to advise. What kind of girl is she?
What other jewelry does she have? Does
she want yellow gold? Setting size is no
problem. They're all made in size 6 and
then changed to fit.

* NOSEY—There are few, very few
cases where the girl comes in later
and asks for an appraisal of the stone
or the ring. Either ignorance is bliss
or maybe the girls are good guess-
ers. The man is given an appraisal
for his own protection and insurance
purposes. There's no good way to
determine how much to spend. Too
many factors—savings, family help,
income, other expenses to meet and
so on.

* THREE MONTH TRIAL—The aver-
age ring is half a carat. Incidentally,
watch that word carat. Spelled with a
"c" it's the weight of the stone, with a
"k" it refers to gold only. You guys will
appreciate this—you can get a full re-
fund up to 90 days. Most jewelers feel
you should have three months to lose or
keep the girl. In case of a smash-up,
though, the girl can't bring the ring in
and get the money back. Most rings sold
have what the experts call "inclusions"
—don't call them imperfections or flaws.
Cutting, color and perfection affect the
value of the stone and in that order.
Diamonds come in pink, green and lav-
ender. Brown diamonds are common in
men's rings. November and December
are the biggest diamond months.

YOUR HEALTH

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

THERE IS A "medicine" more power-
ful than any of the new antibiotics,
namely the old standby, prevention.

Prevention is important in relation
to many infections. I am referring to it
especially in regard to tick fever, or
Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever, as it is
known medically.

This disease occurs not too infre-
quently during the Summer and Autumn
months, when many people are on their
vacations.

In the Rocky Mountain and Pacific
coast states, the wood tick is the prin-
cipal transmitter of the disease, while in
the East and the South the dog tick is
the culprit.

Many people are camping and hiking
during the months of July, August, and
September, and are likely to come in
contact with the ticks carrying the germ
that causes the disease.

By simple personal precaution, the
camper can prevent Rocky Mountain
Spotted Fever. Areas known to be in-
fested with ticks should be avoided. Per-
sons who plan to be in the woods fre-
quently, especially during the important
few months, should wear clothing that is
tight around the ankles and wrists and
should inspect their bodies periodically
for tick bites.

Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 4—Looks like
the Brothers Warner are trying to
create a mystery as to what their
upcoming "Them" is about. It's
about giant spiders—duly recorded
here many weeks
ago. A compan-
ion-piece to Par-
amount's giant-
ant epic, "The
Naked Jungle,"
no doubt! So far,
"Them" has Ed-
mund Gwenn,
James Whitmore,
Joan Weldon and
tall, tall Jim Ar-
ness in its cast
... Fred Sammis
plus more Photo-
play brass is en-
route here for next
Sunday's party
at the Beverly Hills hotel honor-
ing winners of the "Choose Your
Stars" poll. The magazine spends
a fabulous sum on the contest each
year. This time 'round (believe it
or not!) the toppers are Audrey
Dalton and Richard Allen.



Kirk Douglas

KIRK DOUGLAS, evidently
not swamped with Hollywood
offers, remains overseas to star
in "Atilla the Hun" to be done
in Italy. . . Amazing
and amusing is this bit of info:
Parents magazine, in its
annual report, gives certain
comic books these ratings:—
Those of Roy Rogers, Wild
Bill Hickok, John Wayne, and
Tex Ritter get a "B" — or
objectionable classification.
Those of Bob Hope, Martin and
Lewis, Walt Disney do okay
with an "A" . . . Our tip that
Keenan Wynn and Charlotte
Hudson were headlin' for a
wedding is now "officially"
confirmed by both. She and
Keenan can't wed 'til Spring
though — when his freedom
papers from Beesie Wynn
become final.

"NOA NOA," another picture
based on the life of painter Paul
Gauguin, was no go a while ago
when financing or casting troubles
stymied production. Now it's set
to go again, with probably Jack
Palance in the role originally in-
tended for Vittorio Gassman. It
will be filmed in the South Seas
... Another Vittorio, last-named
de Sica, lands in Filmmville from
Italy any moment. Before he re-
turns to home shores, it's expected
he'll produce and direct the long-
delayed Ben Hecht story, "Miracle
in the Rain" — shooting mostly on
the streets of Chicago, USA. . .
Dany Rubin, co-star of Kirk Doug-
las, in European-made, "Act of
Love," refused to pose for chesee-
cake publicity photos so dear to
American editors. Reason: That
her husband would be one beeg,
feuricious Frenchman if she did.
However, Dany strips down to al-
most nothing for a sequence in the
film itself. Her explanation: "Act-
ing is sheer artistry. Chesseecake
is just sheer!"

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

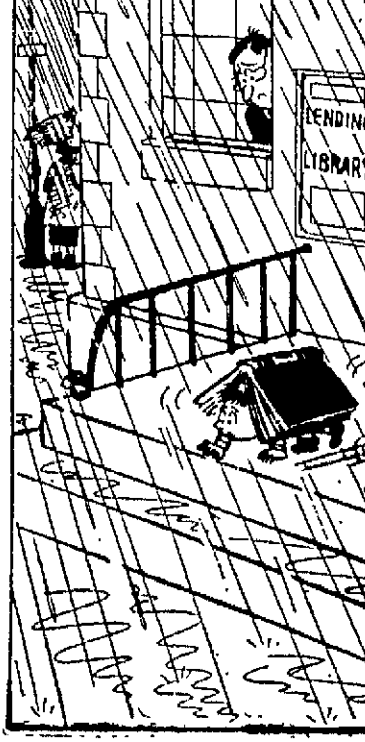
Birthday greetings today to Bill
Willis, professional football line-
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technologist.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

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How's Your Mind?

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. What is a three-quarter
back?
2. What bird do you associate
with derision?

FOLKS OF FAME—GUESS THE NAME



1. One of the most controver-
sial figures during the first part
of 1953 is this man, born 53 years
ago near Madison, Wis. Edu-
cated at the University of Wis-
consin, where he received his
M. A. degree in 1924, he trans-
ferred to the University of Min-
nesota, receiving his law degree
in 1928. He was an assistant
professor of law at the University
of Oregon for a time, becoming
professor of law and dean in 1931.
In 1941, he was chairman of the
President's Railway Emergency
board, and was a public member
of the National War Labor board
from 1942 to 1944. Married to
Mildred Downie in 1924, he has
three daughters. He was re-
elected in 1950 for the senatorial
term ending January, 1957, on
the same ticket. He since has
resigned from the GOP.

2. Born Feb. 18, 1892, in El-
wood, Ind., he was a noted law-
yer, admitted to the bar in
Indiana (1916), and in New York
(1930). He attended Indiana uni-
versity, receiving his A.B. in 1913,
his LL.B. in 1916. He has one
son, Phillip Herman, and is the
author of "One World," a book
on international affairs. He died
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(Names at bottom of column)

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MORNING

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6:00	Bill Givens	Rural Digest	Rise and Shine	Mac McGuire
6:15	Jack Pyle	John Trent	"	"
6:30	News; Jack Pyle	News; Weather Here's Harvey	Rise and Shine	Mac McGuire
6:45	News	News	News; Weather Here's Harvey	Mac McGuire
7:00	Jack Pyle	Sports Here's Harvey	Rise and Shine	Start Day Right
7:15	"	"	"	News
7:30	Ruth Wells	Hold the Phone	Breakfast Club	News
7:45	Waltz Festival	Market Cindrella	"	Kitchen Kapers
8:00	Happy Clark's	Weekend	"	Trip to the Zoo
8:15	Welcome	Women Only	My True Story	Happiness Keys
8:30	Travelers	Market	Whispering Street	News
8:45	Bob Hope	Arthur Godfrey	Little Show	Guy Lombardo
9:00	Break the Bank	"	Modern Roman's	Ladies Fair
9:15	Strike It Rich	For Women Only	Double or Nothing	Queen For a Day
9:30	Pharisee Pays	"	"	"
9:45	Second Chance	"	"	"

AFTERNOON

Hour	KYW NBC 1060 K	WCAU CBS 1210 K	WFIL ABC 560 K	WIP MBS 610 K
12:00	News	W. Warr'n; News	In the Spotlight	Curt Massey
12:15	Bob Benson	Aunt Jenny	Antell	Eddie Fisher
12:30	"	Helen Trent	Mary Jones	World Series
12:45	Anne Lee	Our Gal Sunday	"	"
1:00	Ruth Wells	Road of Life	Mr. Lucky	"
1:15	"	Ma Perkins	"	"
1:30	Jack Pyle	Dr. Malone	Today's Tops	"
1:45	"	Guiding Light	"	"
2:00	"	Mrs. Burton	Antell	World Series
2:15	"	Perry Mason	What's the News	"
2:30	"	Nora Drake	Caravan	"
2:45	"	Brighter Day	"	"
3:00	Life Beautiful	Hilltop House	Caravan	Williams and Smith
3:15	Road of Life	Shoppin' Fun	"	"
3:30	Pepper Young	Hi Neighbor	Caravan	Music; Sports
3:45	Happiness	John Trent	"	News; Music
4:00	Backstage Wife	Arthur Godfrey	Caravan	Memory Lane
4:15	Stella Dallas	Edw. R. Murrow	"	Mus. News Sp
4:30	Widder Brown	Suspense	Bob Horn	News
4:45	Woman in House	Arthur Godfrey	"	Sports
5:00	Just Plain Bill	World on Parade	"	"
5:15	Front Page Farl	Curt Massey	"	"
5:30	Lorenzo Jones	"	"	"
5:45	Shall Be Music	"	"	"

EVENING

Hour	KYW NBC 1060 K	WCAU CBS 1210 K	WFIL ABC 560 K	WIP MBS 610 K
6:00	News; Weather	News	Stars on Parade	News
6:15	Sports	Wizard of Odds	Sports	Brookhouse
6:30	3 Star Extra	Lowell Thomas	Singin' Sam	Sports; News
6:45	Symphonette	Skeleton	John Vandercrook	Sullivan Concats
7:00	News	Beulah	Tonight's Star	Fulton Lewis
7:15	One Man Family	Just You, J. Me	Long Ranger	News
7:30	Music	Edw. R. Murrow	Cowboy Drama	Gabriel Heatter
7:45	Concert	Suspense	Henry J. Taylor	Perry Como
8:00	Music	Arthur Godfrey's	Music Box	The Falcon
8:15	"	Music Scouts	Headlines	Music in the
8:30	"	Theater	Music Box	Night
8:45	Band of	"	"	Wild Bill Hickok
9:00	Amorica	"	"	Reporters
9:15	McGee & Molly	Caravan	"	Roundup
9:30	Can You Top This	Starlight Salute	Music Box	Frank Edwards
9:45	Dave Garroway	"	Outdoorsman	Paul Sullivan
10:00	News	News	Music Box	Counterspy
10:15	Hal Moore	Byline By Green	Bob Horn	C'mon 'n' Dance
10:30	"	Concert	"	"
10:45	"	"	"	"
11:00	News	Night Watch	Sports and News	Bandwagon

IT'S QUEER BUT TRUE



ROOM and BOARD by GENE AHEARN

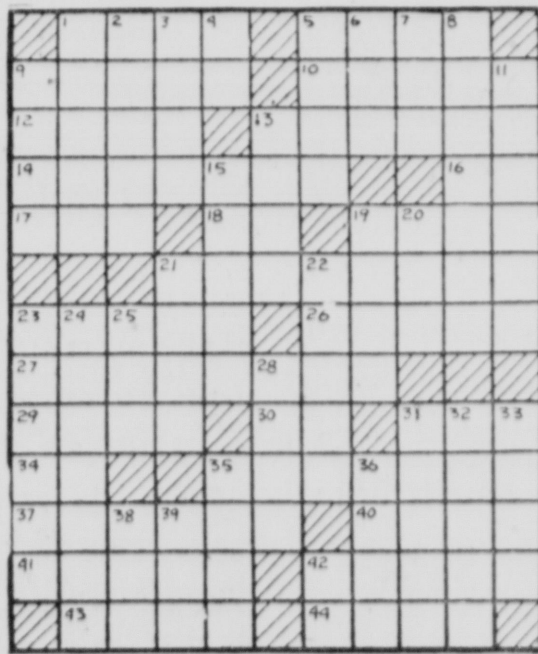


THE OLD HOME TOWN by STANLEY



TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

- ACROSS
- Gang
 - Edges of garments
 - A shade of purple
 - Build
 - Measure of land
 - Book of Old Testament
 - Risked (colloq.)
 - Railroad (abbr.)
 - Lamprey
 - Gold (Her.)
 - Nuclei of grains
 - Clasped in the arms
 - Ascend
 - Rugged mountain crest
 - Bearded (Bot.)
 - Swelling
 - Cirrus (abbr.)
 - Resort
 - Note of the scale
 - Member of a family
 - Bear
 - Male red deer
 - Female of the ruff
 - Gourdlike fruits
 - Peruse
 - Foreboding
 - DOWN
 - Hiding place for supplies
 - Of the country



DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

ANYDLBAAXR
LONGFELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation

XCS ZVAT CTA'B QSCCXB
HSA HQMWO GVCBAT, XCPS
HSA HB LHWFFJ HB H JCEAT—
QSFCS.

Saturday's Cryptquote: KNEELING NEER SPOILED SILK STOCKING... ALL EQUAL ARE WITHIN THE CHURCH'S GATE—HERBERT.

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MUGGS McGINNIS



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ETTA KETT



BIG SISTER



BARNEY GOOGLE & SHUFFY SMITH



THE LONE RANGER



MICKEY MOUSE



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6:30 P. M.	10	Frontier Playhouse	8:30 P. M.	3	The Girl Next Door
6:45 P. M.	6	Early Show	8:30 P. M.	6	News; Weather
7:00 P. M.	10	Ramar of the Jungle	8:30 P. M.	3	Sports
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AUTHOR AND ARTIST Ludwig Bemelmans visited dark-est Ecuador in search of background material for a new book. He was lunching in a dubious village cafe when a villainous looking character frightened him to death by lunging into the seat next to him and demanding two bottles of the native equivalent of liquid dynamite. Suddenly the desperado spied a battered old copy of a fashionable New York magazine and pounced on it. He turned to the lead article and began mumbling the words laboriously to himself. Then he was on his feet, bellowing with rage. "Those yanqui editors!" he roared. "They've cut out my best lines again!"



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A bay window does a good job of breaking up the expanse of brick, while the lamp post brightens up the front yard at this home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Yonkovich at 1218 North Franklin street (the southeast corner of Franklin and Mervine streets).

The house was finished the past January by Yonkovich's father, Michael Yonkovich, Pottstown builder.

The son put in the lamppost. Behind the bay is the living room, about 13 by 15 feet, not counting the bay. Also downstairs are a kitchen, two bedrooms and bath. They are starting to finish the upstairs. Half of the basement is garage. Yonkovich is a clerk for Bethlehem Steel company.

Ship Captain Appeals Sentence on Negligence

CANAKKALE, Turkey, Oct. 4 (AP)—The captain of a Swedish freighter, found guilty of incompetence and negligence in a collision with a Turkish submarine resulting in the loss of 81 Turkish lives, has appealed his sentence.

The freighter collided with the

INDIA BANS PICTURE

MADRAS, India, Oct. 4 (AP)—A local theater manager reported today that the Indian government has banned the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture, "The Naked Spur," starring James Stewart, throughout India. No reason for the ban was given.

submarine Dumlupinar on the night of April 4 in the Dardanelles. The submarine, formerly the USS Bumper, went down with 31 crewmen.

The Swedish skipper, Oscar Lontzon, was sentenced yesterday

to six months' imprisonment and ordered to pay a fine of 250 Turkish lire (\$90). He was immediately freed, since he had served all but three days of his sentence awaiting trial. The Turkish submarine captain was acquitted.

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Mrs. Albert Smith announces the engagement of her daughter Helen to John Banyai of Perkiomenville, R.D. The date of Oct. 10 has been set for the wedding.

Pvt. William Smith of Fort Lee, Va. and Alma Bender of Bally, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grosch all of Lansdale and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellinger and daughter of Bergey visited Mrs. Albert Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Groff, Bowmansville, Laura and Minnie Jones and Mrs. Yale, Allentown and Mrs. E. H. Dowdy of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., visited the Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Albright. Dale Ziegler of Spring Mount spent several days with his grandparents, the Rev. and Mrs. Albright.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Price and children and Fred Miller visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kardos at Reigelsville, R.D.

Mrs. Catharin Sanders has returned home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders at Highland Park.

Mrs. Winfield Huber spent a day with Mrs. Kenneth Detwiler at Souderton, R. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snell visited relatives in Leighton, on Monday.

Bountiful Crops Services Held by West Germans

BONN, Germany, Oct. 4 (AP)—West Germans attended thanksgiving services today for bountiful crops.

Speaking in Bonn at one of the many harvest celebrations, Agriculture Minister Wilhelm Niklas said the potato crop was a record 25 million tons. The grain harvest was 11,850,000 tons, or 400,000 tons more than the past year. The anticipated sugar production from German-grown beets, he went on, would be more than a million tons.

Israel Bonds Set Record Sale in United States

NEW YORK, Oct. 4 (AP)—More State of Israel bonds have been sold in the United States than any other foreign issue in history, Ambassador Abba S. Eban said today.

The Israel ambassador made the statement in a speech for delivery before groups of bond sellers.

"There is no precedent in the financial history of the United States," he said, for any Government to have sold its securities to the extent of 160 million dollars in cash, with great prospects of increase lying before us in the future."

German Cab Strike Strands US Soldiers

MAINZ, Germany, Oct. 4 (AP)—Scores of American soldiers were stranded here after curfew last night when city cab drivers went on a protest strike against raids by US military police and German authorities for Army scrip and cigarettes.

Police said some soldiers hurled beer bottles and rocks at German taxis which refused to take them back to their barracks. The stranded soldiers were later returned in Army trucks. The cab strike began at shortly before the 1 a. m. curfew hour and ended two hours later.

The raids were staged throughout the State of Rhineland-Palatinate, but the only incidents reported occurred here. The raids are held periodically against cab drivers who illegally accept military scrip or American cigarettes instead of German marks for fares.

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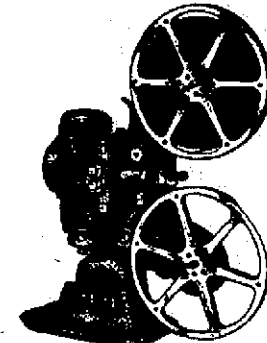
French Troops Continue Mop-Up in River Delta

HANOI, Indochina, Oct. 4 (AP)—French Union troops continuing the mop-up of Communist-led Vietminh in the Red river delta killed another 31 Vietminh troops today, a French army spokesman announced.

He also said the French had repulsed a counter-attack northeast of Hung Yen, 30 miles southeast of Hanoi.

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Former Local Man Heads County Group

Gordon R. Exley 2d, former president of Constructioners, Incorporated, Pottstown, is the new chairman of the Montgomery county housing and planning committee.

His election was announced Saturday. Exley succeeds Mrs. Henry Lee Willet, chairman of the committee since it was started in 1950.

The former local man now lives in Bryn Mawr. He is an executive of United Building Construction company, Philadelphia.

Headquarters of the housing and planning committee are also in Philadelphia. It is a member of the community chest there.

Reds Give Ex-Chairman Post in East Germany

BERLIN, Oct. 4 (AP)—The Communists granted a political reprieve today to Hans Jendretzky, former party chairman for East Berlin, who was in disgrace for "weakness" in handling the June 17 workers' rebellion.

The party announced that Jendretzky was chosen to be council president for the New Brandenburg district. The regime divided East Germany into 14 districts, such as Neu Brandenburg, the past year in an administrative shakeup. The district councils replaced the old machinery that operated as local State Governments.

Jendretzky was dropped from his post as chairman of the party for East Berlin after the June riots and had been in obscurity since.

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WEST READING HANDS BEARS DEFEAT, 14-13

By BILL BRADLEY
The West Reading Cowboys rode herd on the Boyertown Bears Saturday, 14-13, but not before the stubborn Bears handed the Reading rangers some pretty deep scratches.

Not even after Danny Cervo's 71-yard touchdown jaunt did the Bears give up. They just stood there and slugged it out with the highly favored Cowboys. West Reading coach Ray Linn was biting his nails until the final gun. It was that close.

With Cervo and fullback Frank Rapino handling the ball carrying chores, the Cowboys showed a terrific ground offensive by carrying from their own 25 to the Boyertown 46 in 14 plays right after the opening kickoff.

The drive came to a shuddering halt when Gerald Bordie's handoff backfired, and the Bears were pushed back to the Bear 49, where the visitors took over on downs.

From then on, it was Greg Lignelli's arm against Cervo's as the Bears threw up an aerial offensive against the highly touted Cowboys ground attack.

Lignelli's aerial circus was grounded in the first quarter when Tony Scalese, Cowboy end, intercepted a pass on his own 26, halting the drive.

A PENALTY and a fumble put the Cowboys back on their own seven, and Rapino's kick carried only to the Reading 35.

Early in the second period, a mixup gave the Bears two fourth downs on the Cowboy's nine, and they finally wound up on the six, where Dan McAlees, Reading guard, intercepted Lignelli's pass to put the Cowboys out of danger.

A Bordie fumble, two plays later on the Cowboy 15, set the stage for the Bears first marker, as the entire Boyertown team swarmed over the loose ball.

Lignelli pitched out to Charley Fronheiser who carried to the one. Bill Endy went over for the score, but it was nullified by a backfield in motion penalty. On the next play, Lignelli heaved to Jim Heydt for the tally. Ralph Borneman's pass to Heydt was good for the extra point.

Two plays after the kickoff, the Cowboys drew blood.

After Rapino carried from his own 30 to the Bear 45, he heaved to Ed Kohl, who took the pass on the 20 and went all the way. Stan Stout's half was good.

The half ended with both clubs grinding away at midfield.

The Bears were stymied after getting a big break late in the third period.

CERVIO, after traveling 20 yards into Boyertown territory, fumbled on the Bear 30. Some 22 men and possibly the referee had a crack at the elusive piskin, as it was picked up, dropped, and kicked around until Boyertown finally recovered on its own 12.

SPARKED by Endy's running, and Lignelli's aerial to Snyder, from the Bear 16 to the Cowboy 42, the growling grizzlies got to the West Reading 18 after eight plays, then lost the ball on downs.

Three plays later, Cervo took a pitchout from Bordie, went off tackle, cut to the right, then scurried down the right sideline to the Boyertown 40, where he cut diagonally across the field to cap the 71-yard race with the six-point.

Stout's all important kick was good.

Two plays into the last stanza, a penalty put the Bears on the Cowboy 38, and then Lignelli started working his arm overtime.

A pass to Snyder was good to the 19. Snyder fumbled but recovered. Heydt took an aerial on the six, and one play later, Lignelli found Snyder in the end zone for the td.

Endy plunged for the point, but came up with nothing.

Shortly after the score, a Rapino kick over the heads of the Bear secondary put them deep in their own territory, and Dan Capozello's interception of Lignelli's toss didn't do the Bears much good either.

THE BEARS got one last break in the waning minutes when Cervo fumbled on the Boyertown 28, and as usual the entire forward wall of the Bears was in on the recovery.

Scalese wrote finis to the Boyertown comeback, however, stealing a pass from Lignelli to Heydt right out of the end's arms to give the Cowboys the ball on the Boyertown 36.

The Cowboys ate up the remaining seconds with line plunges, at Boyertown desperately tried to regain possession for one last passing attempt.

The Bears have nothing to be ashamed of — the interceptions killed their offense, but defensively



—Mercury Sportsphoto

LOOK OUT BEHIND—Hill school halfback Walt Levering is about to be brought down from the rear by Woodbury Forrest tackler Joe Rooker after gaining five yards in Saturday's game won by the Blues, 13-7. Levering scored his team's first touchdown on a pass that was deflected by a Woodberry defender. Hill tackle Bruce Sprague, 81, moves in to help out. Other Woodberry players are Bill Wainer, 17, and Jack Reynolds, 15.

Recovered Fumbles Help

Hill Beats Foresters, 13-7, for 2d Win

Dave Lennox's recovery of a fumble in the final period of the Hill School - Woodberry Forest grid clash, gave the hosts a 13-7 victory over the visiting Foresters Saturday afternoon.

Foresters a six point lead.

Lou Patton's try for the extra point was good.

Woodberry was in possession of the piskin throughout almost the entire first quarter, but the situation was reversed in the second period, when Hill School dominated the play but was unable to score.

Pete Jones, Hill captain, and Bob Bittling ran hard for Hill in the scoreless second, and quarterback Steve Pyle connected with Dave Yarrington twice on passes, but the Hillers just couldn't cross the final chalk stripe.

Ray Johnson 2d

Mose Moore Repeats at Sanatoga

The Pottstown desperado, Mose Moore held on to his winning ways yesterday at Sanatoga speedway, notching three wins: the second heat, the second semi-final, and the big one—the feature. He also won the feature last Sunday.

Bob Levensgood set the pace in the first heat, with Red Leshar and Curt Sherman right on his heels. Levensgood's time was 3:15.6 minutes.

Trailing Mose in the second heat were Bill Ellis and Don Allison. Mose crossed the line in 3:14.2 minutes.

The other half of the Moore family, Harry, tried to get into the picture in the third heat, but had to be satisfied with third place behind Monk Kellar and Bill Smith. Smith finished in 3:14.6 minutes.

George Gregory took the first semi-final in 4:08.4 minutes, with the Norristown flash Don Allison following close behind. Bob Johnson was third.

MOSE MADE it number two win in the second semi-final, with Smith, Kellar and Harry chasing him across the finish line.

Fat Boy Bittling nosed out Sam Kellar to take the consolation in 3:14.8 minutes.

Mose finished his three-way cleanup by edging out Johnson and Newt Reinert in the feature.

In the novice division, Candy Smith took the first heat, with Henry Reinert second. Walter Yoder took the second heat, and was trailed by Dee Grebe.

Ira Russell, who finished third

their line was parked in the Cowboy backfield for a great part of the game.

WEST READINGS
ENDS: Kohl, Scalese.
TACKLES: Naugle, Kline, Mount.
GUARDS: Gabriel, McAlees, Rogers, Rehnholtz.
BACKS: Chirico, Morin.
BOYERTOWN
ENDS: Heydt, Keyser, Mackey.
TACKLES: Fronczak, P. Fronheiser, Wasson.
GUARDS: Litchert, Schwenk, Wolf.
CENTER: Rothenberger.
BACKS: Lignelli, Erb, C. Fronheiser, Endy, Snyder, Borneman, Boyer.
Score by periods: 0 7 7 0-14
Boyertown 14, West Reading 7.
Kohl Cervo, EP—Stout 2.
Boyertown scoring: Touchdowns—Heydt, Snyder, EP—Heydt (pass).
STATISTICS
WR
First downs: 4
By rushing: 4
By passing: 1
Passes att.: 4
Passes com.: 2
Opp. passes int.: 3
Fumbles: 6
Own fumbles rec.: 2
Opp. fumbles rec.: 0
Net yards rushing: 113
Net yards passing: 167
Total yards: 280
Penalties: 20

Next Saturday morning's schedule: 9:15 a. m. Jefferson vs. Lincoln. 10:15 a. m. Franklin vs. Rupert.
Each team will have their regular weekly practice at 3:30 o'clock as scheduled for each school.

LINEUPS
RUPERT
Pos. L.B. ST. CLAIR
Boorman.....LT.....G. White
Fisher.....LT.....G. White
Houck.....LT.....G. White
Orndorff.....LT.....G. White
M. Borer.....LT.....G. White
Glavin.....LT.....G. White
Rupendall.....LT.....G. White
B. Borer.....LT.....G. White
Borquet.....LT.....G. White
Kratz.....LT.....G. White
Childers.....LT.....G. White
Rupert subs: Smoyer, Marade, Peterman.
FRANKLIN
Pos. L.B. LINCOLN
Schmidt.....LT.....Gauger
Fry.....LT.....Sebrisky
Himes.....LT.....Celinski
Wolf.....LT.....C. White
Fine.....LT.....C. White
Skestrom.....LT.....Brown
Shanley.....LT.....Weiser
Verzey.....LT.....Harrison
Kuechler.....LT.....Leval
Donahue.....LT.....Bartman
Burb.....LT.....Suede
Franklin subs: Welch Baumgart, Cox, Grady.
Lincoln subs: Neiman, Mitchell, Frick, Horrocks, Yeager, Grubb.

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Bridgeport Edges Royersford, 14-7, For 3d Win in Row

Two streaks were kept alive as Bridgeport beat Royersford, 14-7, on Saturday night but both threatened to come to an end.

The host Eagles, who have yet to win a game, again filled the chart with impressive statistics but ran short in the scoring column as the Bridgeport Dragons won their third straight game.

Even without their big offensive gun, fullback Carrell Swenson who broke his wrist the past week, the Eagles of Bob McNelly showed vast improvement after a pair of earlier losses.

The Porters moved into the lead in the first period after the Fords halted the visitors first threat on their own 10. After moving out to the 25, Ralph Beiber, Eagle halfback, fumbled, and Pat Picariello recovered for the Dragons.

In two plays, the Porters of Coach Ted Kershner lost two and then Picariello passed to Robbins for a touchdown. End Phillipy kicked his first of two extra points.

QUITE a squabble developed in the second period when Beiber raced 22 yards into the end zone only to fumble. The officials ruled Beiber fumbled before he went into the end zone and since the ball rolled clear past the goal posts, a touchback was declared and Bridgeport given the ball on their 20.

The Royersford fans hooted and howled for 15 minutes as play was held up. As the half ended the Eagles were driving deep into Bridgeport territory again with Charlie Miller leading the way on several nice runs.

Royersford tied the score in the third quarter.

Jim Bauer recovered a Bridgeport fumble on the first play from scrimmage in the second half. The Fords started a scoring drive from the Porter 40, Miller and Beiber moved the ball 15 yards on the ground and then quarterback Jack Strunk connected with Miller on a 19 yard pass play down to the six.

Miller went to the one on a pitchout and then circled left end on another lateral play from Strunk for the TD. Charlie also ran the ball over for the extra point.

PICARIELLO, DeFusco and Ed Denzi sparked a long scoring drive for the Dragons right after the Fords had tied the count. After moving from their own 42 to the Royersford 13 in 13 plays along the ground, Denzi whipped a scoring pass to Phillipy and the Dragons were on their way to victory No. 3.

This was the first time since McNelly has been coaching at Royersford High that one of his teams lost more than two in a row.

LINEUPS
BRIDGEPORT
ENDS: Phillipy, Groth, Roberto.
TACKLES: Colliurio, DiCicco, Fabrian, J. Edwards, Bitterly.
GUARDS: Hall, Ottaviano, Romanne.
CENTER: Collins.
BACKS: Debro, Alba, Denzi, DeSufano, Picariello, Robbins, DeFusco.
ROYERSFORD
ENDS: Wojton, Fray, Deim, Bauer.
TACKLES: Rogers, Finkbeiner, Geiser, Roussey.
GUARDS: E. Miller, Dinnoventi, Marquardt.
CENTER: Geiss.
BACKS: Johnson, C. Miller, Strunk, Beiber, Rantz, Nettles.
Score by periods: 7 0 7 0-14
Bridgeport 14, Royersford 7.
Bridgeport scoring: Touchdowns—Phillipy, Robbins, EP—Phillipy 2.
Royersford scoring: Touchdown—Miller, EP—Miller.

STATISTICS
B R
First downs: 6 12
By rushing: 5 7
By passing: 1 2
Passes att.: 9 14
Passes com.: 2 7
Yards gained—rushing: 83 173
Yards lost—rushing: 17 2
Punts: 9 6
Complete: 5 3
Yards gained: 66 43
Intercepted by: 1 1
Total yards rush, passing: 123 214
Fumbles: 3 4
Lost possession by fumbles: 2 2
Punts: 9 6
Totals yards: 96 77
Average yards per punt: 24 38.5
Yards runback: 0 0
Yards lost penalties: 80 0

Dogs have been taught to sniff saves and fullback Dick Wells played an outstanding defensive game for Warwick.

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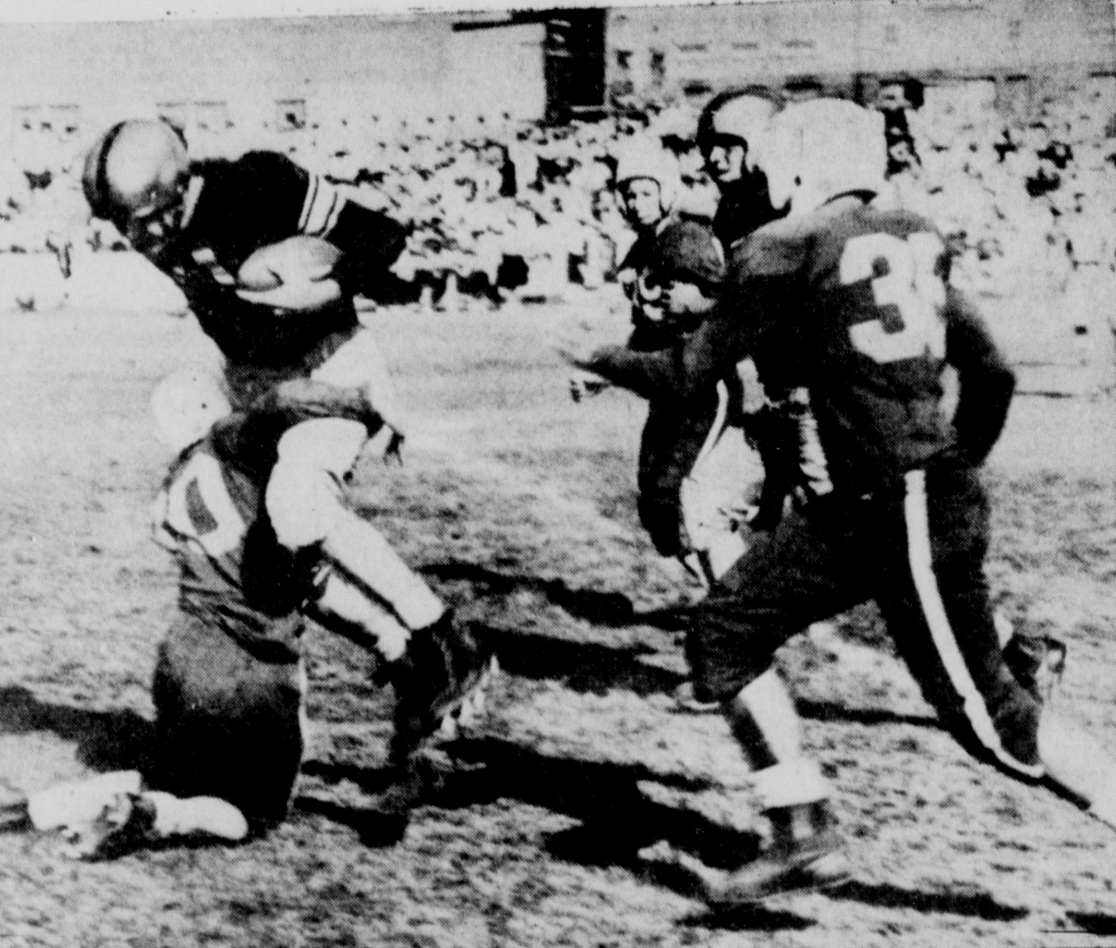
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FIREMAN'S CARRY—Upper Perkiomen quarterback, who does much of his team's passing was on the other end of the line as he took a pass from halfback Del Fritz on this play. Here he is being stopped by Spring City halfback Stout after a 15-yard gain as the Indians remained undefeated with a 32-0 win over the Pirates. The other UP player is Bob Smith who scored 14 points for the winners. The Pirates who are moving in are Ron Black, 39, and Bobby Hunter, 36.

Smith Scores 14 Points

Undefeated Upper Perk Hands Spring City 32-0 Loss

The list of undefeated area teams was shortened at Pennsburg on Saturday as Upper Perkiomen handed Spring City its first loss, 32-0.

POTTSTOWN MERCURY Sports

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Coffey, Smith Win Meigs Title

Des Coffey and Bobby Smith, Jr., defeated Bill Kindsvatter and Gerald O'Dell, 3 and 2, in the final round yesterday for the Meigs Trophy at Brookside Country club.

The champs earlier had eliminated Al Bensing and Ed Hartenstine, 1 up. Bill Beaver and Al Davidheiser, the past year's winners, had lost to the Bensing-Hartenstine team in a quarter-final round.

In the defeated 16 final of the Meigs play, Bill Williams and George Clayton topped Hal Federman and Martin Feit, 1 up on the 19th.

Beaver and Mrs. Opal Hary won yesterday's Scotch foursome matches with a high score of 66 points. Morrie Gavin and Miss Nancy Cope scored 62 points to tie for second with Frank Fisher and Mrs. Lew Unneberg.

The 36-hole Hartenstine and Leveille Trophy matches will be played next weekend. The tournament will be men's Scotch foursome with alternate drives.

LINEUPS
SPRING CITY
ENDS: Finckelstein, Seely, G. Himes, Patrick.
TACKLES: Saylor, Black, Whistler, Ery.
GUARDS: Jones, Miller, CENTER: Addis.
BACKS: Bainbridge, D. Himes, Stipa, Stout, Jeffries, Edwards, Bitterly.
UPPER PERKIOMEN
ENDS: Smoyer, Treichler, Nelm, TACKLES: Moll, Eschbach, Reifinger, Winach, Breisch.
GUARDS: Bozzelli, York, Stine, Seyforth, Conrad, Rothenberger.
CENTER: Miklos, Schmidt.
BACKS: Fritz, Gilbert, Miller, Brunner, Smith, Graber, Fetterman.
Score by periods: 0 0 0 0-0
Upper Perkiomen 32, Spring City 0.
UP scoring: Touchdowns—Smith 2, Brunner, Smoyer, Miklos. EP—Smith 2.

THE ONLY TALLY in the third period was a 70-yard punt return by Smith.

Fritz had another long run in a scoring drive early in the fourth frame. The sustained march started on the UP 25 and was culminated on an end-around play by Smoyer, who went for 30 yards. Center Steve Miklos intercepted a Pirate pass on the losers' 35 and raced across for the final score of the game.

The Indians held a 12-5 edge in first downs. Bill Bainbridge was the Pirates workhorse on offense along with Bob Stipa who directed the attack. Kent Addis again played a stellar defensive game.

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FOOTBALL SCORES

SCHOLASTIC
Hill School 13, Woodberry Forest 7.
West Reading 14, Boyertown 13.
Upper Perkiomen 32, Spring City 0.
Bridgeport 14, Royersford 7.
West Chester 25, Phoenixville 6.
Berwyn 24, Conshohocken 6.
Norristown 32, Philadelphia Olney 6.
Souderton 23, Doylestown 20.
Downingtown 20, Upper Merion 7.
Upper Darby 19, Overbrook 12.
Ridley Park 16, Collingsdale 6.
Sharon Hill 24, Glen-Nor 7.
Marple-Newtown 27, Upper Chichester 14.
Yeadon 13, Springfield 7.
Harbortown 20, Lansdale 0.
Quakertown 32, Springfield 7.
Prinny 13, George School 0.
West Chester 25, Phoenixville 6.
Chester 26, Wilmington 0.
Arlington 46, Haverford 0.
Reading 27, John Harris 17.
York 19, Williamsport 6.
Shamokin 13, Coal Twp. 6.
Dunmore 33, Oliphant 19.
Stroudsburg 13, Palmyerton 7.
DeBols 40, Bradford 6.
COLLEGIATE
East
Penn 13, Penn State 7.
Urbisus 32, Susquehanna 14.
Wake Forest 18, Villanova 14.
Muhlenberg 18, Bucknell 13.
Dickinson State 27, Nebraska 0.
Princeton 20, Columbia 19.
Delaware 26, Lehigh 13.
FAM Tech 21, Oklahoma 13.
Lebanon Valley 13, Wilkes 6.
Harvard 16, Ohio 0.
Holy Cross 12, Colgate 6.
Juniata 20, Moravian 6.
Lock Haven 24, Millersville 0.
Navy 55, Dartmouth 7.
Pitt 21, Tennessee 7.
Rutgers 20, VPI 6.
Yale 12, Brown 0.
West Virginia 47, Wayneburg 19.
Illinois 32, Stanford 21.
Iowa 34, Washington State 12.
Kansas 23, Iowa State 0.
Kansas State 27, Nebraska 0.
Michigan 26, Tulane 0.
Michigan State 21, Minnesota 0.
Missouri 27, Colorado 16.
Northwestern 23, Army 20.
Notre Dame 37, Purdue 7.
Wisconsin 13, Marquette 11.
Alabama 21, Vanderbilt 12.
Auburn 11, Mississippi 0.
Florida 27, Tennessee 7.
Georgia 20, North Carolina 14.
Georgia Tech 6, SMU 4.
Maryland 20, Clemson 0.
Mississippi State 21, North Texas 0.
North Carolina 14, W&L 0.
South Carolina 19, Virginia 0.
Southwest
Arkansas 13, TCU 6.
Texas Tech 21, Oklahoma A&M 13.
Texas 28, Houston 7.
Texas A&M 14, Georgia 12.
Baylor 21, Miami 12.
Far West
Ohio State 33, California 19.
Washington 25, Oregon State 0.
Southern California 27, Indiana 14.

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AUXILIARY HOLDS PARTY, AWARDS VARIOUS PRIZES

Fire Company Group Also Maps Plans For Future

Members of the Gilbertville Fire company Ladies' auxiliary enjoyed their annual Halloween party held in the fire hall, with many prizes awarded.

The various categories and winners were as follows: Prettiest single person, Mrs. Marian Buchak; prettiest couple, Mrs. Eleanor Trullinger and Mrs. Eloise Schwebel; funniest single person, Mrs. June Mullen; funniest couple, Mrs. Beulah Heiny and Susan Heiny; fattest single person, Mrs. Helen W. Geiger; fattest couple, Mrs. Irene Campbell and Mrs. Dorothy Blank.

The ugliest person, Mrs. Jannette Nester; most original, Mrs. Helen O. Geiger. Two pig-in-box awards were made to Mrs. Carrie Fryer and Mrs. Jane Mattern.

During the business session, in charge of the president, Mrs. Eloise Schwebel, the acceptance into the membership of Mrs. Emma Mathias, Gilbertville RD, was approved.

MRS. SCHWEBEL appointed the following committees for next month's meeting: Entertainment, Mrs. Betty Frey and Mrs. Anna Reinert; refreshment, Mrs. June Mullen; Mrs. Jane Mattern, Mrs. Marie Fegley, Mrs. Helen O. Geiger and Mrs. Eleanor Trullinger. At that meeting, the members will conduct a hat social.

A bus will be leaving from the fire hall on Tuesday, Oct. 20, for Philadelphia where the members will witness a television show. Anyone desiring to make the trip is requested to contact Mrs. Grace Hartenstein.

The auxiliary is also making plans to have Tom Moorehead come to Gilbertville to present a special show.

Mrs. Virginia Linsenbugler announced that a merchandise display will be held today from 4 to 9:30 p. m., in the fire hall. She invited all members to witness the display.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Services for JACOB P. DOTTERER, husband of the late Emma M. (Beidler) Dotterer, near Earlville, BOYERTOWN RD 2, were held from the Schwenk funeral home, 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, Saturday at 3 p. m. Further services were held in Salem Reformed church, Spangsville, with the Rev. Earl G. Wolford, pastor, officiating.

Interment was made in the Oley Church cemetery, Spangsville.

Bearers were six grandsons, Norman Hess, Kenneth Hess, Lloyd Trate, Ronald Dotterer, Gordon Dotterer and Rowan Fritz.

Lodge Plans Dinner

Many committee members of the Laura Rebekah Lodge 593 and Independent Order of Odd Fellows Lodge 708, Boyertown, met to make final plans for their third annual turkey dinner.

The event will be held Sunday, Nov. 8, in the Odd Fellows building, 35 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown.

Boyetown Classified

Deaths

ROHRBACH—In Reading, on Thursday, Oct. 1, 1950, Henry H. Rohrbach, Alburis RD 1, age 73 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schwenk Funeral Home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment in Huff's Church cemetery. Friends may call on Sunday evening 7 to 9 (Schwenk).

Card of Thanks

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We wish to thank relatives, neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness shown; for sympathy extended and for the beautiful floral tributes at the funeral of Jacob P. Dotterer. The FAMILY.

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The team won 12 out of 15 games it played on Brancote field.

In the top row are, left to right, John Roth, Dave Mauger, Joseph Barkel, Fred Gephart, Dick Hornberger, and Ed Mauger (Dave's brother).

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Local, Area Estates Confirmed by Court

A local and two area estates were among 15 in which President Judge Frederick A. Marx, Orphan's court, Berks county, confirmed the accounts and ordered distribution during the past week.

Irwin H. Gilbert, 132 North Walnut street, Boyertown, had a balance of \$12,413.79 distributed to the National Bank of Boyertown, executor of the estate of Louisa S. Gilbert. H. Leon Breidenbach is the attorney.

Warren H. Gehris, New Berlinville, Colebrookdale township, had a balance of \$18,235.87 distributed as follows: St. John's Evangelical (Hill) Reformed church, \$100; Christ Evangelical and Reformed church, Niantic, \$100; Amanda Y. Gehris, in her own right and as assignee of Helen Houck and Robert Houck, \$18,035.87 and real estate appraised at \$4750. H. Leon Breidenbach is the attorney.

Solomon K. DeTurk, Oley, a balance of \$14,628.87 distributed as follows: impounded for tombstones, \$350, and for taxes, \$500; to Annie Hafer, Edna DeTurk and Elsie Hartline, \$3444.72 each, and Eli R. DeTurk, \$3444.71. Thomas W. Leidy is the attorney.

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Customers did the same—and the annual harvest festival service got underway.

"Under our modern conditions," explained the Church of England curate, "Our Lord might have been born in a garage at the back of this inn. His birth near the inn consecrated enjoyment and pleasure. There is probably more friendliness in here than there is outside."

YMCA 'Trainmen' Will Report Tonight

Amateur railroad men of the Pottstown YMCA will pull into the auditorium there tonight for their third report dinner.

The "dining car" in the auditorium will open at 6:30 o'clock. How many new members are on board their trains will be shown in the reports of the part-time engineers.

All of which is a reminder that the Fall membership drive at the YMCA is being run as a cross-country train race.

Engineers are the team captains, and every new member the team gets sends their train ahead in the race to California.

Train "dispatcher" is Jacob R. Sotter. As general chairman he will preside at the dinner.

The YMCA Women's auxiliary will serve the meal.

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H. B. Kratz and Sons, a firm that has been serving Schwenksville and vicinity for over 30 years, is having a formal opening Friday and Saturday, Oct. 9 and 10, celebrating an elaborate remodeling program which has more than doubled their old floor space, boasting 34,000 square feet now.

Worthwhile souvenirs for every man, woman and child who attends the opening will be presented. Those who register will be eligible for 50 or more valuable prizes, one of which is a \$121.50 Montgomery power mower, another a mixer, a deep fry well, an electric train, etc.

In the remodeling, a complete toy department was established. The Kratz establishment has always been famous for its huge line of toys and this year the stock is greater than ever. American Flyer trains, trucks, wagons, small and large toys of every description are piled to ceiling-height in storage rooms and are being exhibited in this new Toyland department.

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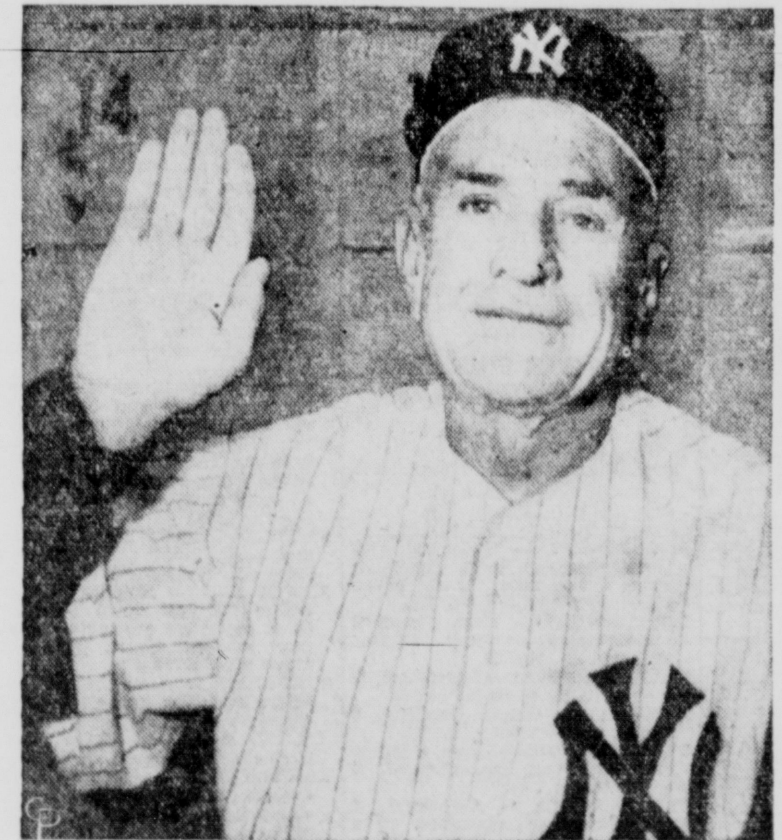
Mantle Hits Grand Slammer

Yanks Beat Dodgers, 11-7; Take Series Lead

BROOKLYN, Oct. 4 (AP)—Mickey Mantle, switching madly from hero to goat and back again, hit a crushing grand slam home run off reliever Russ Meyer's first pitch today as the New York Yankees bombed Brooklyn, 11-7, in a wild slugfest to regain the World Series lead, three games to two.

Needing only one more victory to clinch an unprecedented fifth straight championship, the Yanks go home to Yankee stadium for tomorrow's sixth game and seventh, if necessary.

Jim McDonald, manager Casey Stengel's desperation starter, yielded 11 Dodger singles before Billy Cox's three-run homer in the eighth knocked him out. Lefty Bob Kuzava and finally Allie Reynolds, with his aching back,



FIVE IN A ROW—New York Yankee manager Casey Stengel was feeling pretty confident yesterday as he indicated his team was going to win its fifth straight World Series. The Yanks took a 3-2 edge in the Series with an 11-7 victory.

Some Heads Fall

Notre Dame, Big Ten Team Dominate Weekend Grid Review

NEW YORK, Oct. 4 (AP)—Notre Dame and the vaunted Big Ten powers sat astride the football world today after a nationwide show of strength while the big and small of other regions looked a bit bewildered following a weekend of upsets and oddities.

Ohio State, Michigan State and Michigan joined the first place Irish in scoring decisive victories as members of the top ten teams in the nation. Armchair viewers watched the Buckeyes explode in the second half for a 33-19 triumph over California in the television game-of-the-day. Michigan State's defending national champions blanked Minnesota 21-0, Michigan defeated Tulane 25-7 and Notre Dame rolled over Purdue 37-7.

Outsiders also got the worst of it from Illinois which surged past Stanford 33-21, Northwestern which outscored Army 33-20, Iowa which pummeled Washington State 54-12 and Wisconsin which nudged intrastate rival Marquette by the unusual score of 13-11. Indiana

were needed to make sure the Dodgers were dead for the day.

Six home runs sailed through the Summery air to tie a series record set by the Yankees and Chicago Cubs, Oct. 1, 1932. The Yanks' total of four was only one short of their own mark, hung up by the 1928 "Murderers' Row" against St. Louis.

A pitcher was just somebody who threw up the ball and then watched the fielders run during most of the day. The two clubs collected 25 hits, good for 47 bases to send the statisticians wildly thumbing through the books.

THE BLOW Mantle hit off Meyer who had just replaced 21-year-old Johnny Podres, stunned the big Sunday crowd of 36,775, exactly the same number that set a new Series

record yesterday. The Dodgers never were able to recover their balance although they thrashed around violently in the eighth and ninth.

Mantle's homer topped a cluster of five unearned runs in the third, an inning that let the air out of Dodger hopes for a clean sweep in their friendly ball park.

A vital error by Gil Hodges on Joe Collins' smash off first base put the Yankees in position for their big third inning. The error let Phil Rizzuto score from second and put the rookie Podres in a tough hole.

It looked like the worst Dodger rout in many disastrous Series after the Yanks piled on another in the eighth on Collins' double off Ben Wade, a sacrifice and Berra's fly ball.



ALLIE REYNOLD dons the fireman's helmet symbolizing the relief job he did for the Yanks yesterday by forcing Jackie Robinson to hit into a game-ending double play. Old Wahoo will probably come in from the bullpen again today if needed, despite his aching back.

McDonald finally got the business in the eighth after so many close escapes. Singles by Robinson, Campanella and Furillo produced one run and brought up Cox whose three-run homer closed the gap to 10-6.

Stengel had been out to talk to friend Jim once before but this time he brought along the hook. In from the bullpen came Kuzava, the blond stopper who finished off the 1951 and 1952 series. Kuzava, a lefty who likes to pitch to right-handed batters promptly struck out Dick Williams on three pitches as Chuck Dressen switched from pinch hitter George Shuba to pinch hitter Williams.

McDOUGALD's home run off Joe Black in the top of the ninth sealed lead enough. Stengel, however, wanted to make certain. When Gilliam led off with a homer, Reynolds began to throw hard. Reese fled out but Duke Snider singled to right.

That was all for Kuzava. Stengel waved for Old Wahoo, the opening day hurler who was supposed to be "out for the Series" with a bad back.

Jackie Robinson was the batter when Reynolds trained his sights on the plate. With the count two balls and one strike, Jackie rapped into a game-ending double play as the Yanks flocked around Reynolds.

The game started in bright sunshine and mid 70 degree temperature. By the eighth inning it was cloudy and growing dark, prompting the umpires to order the lights turned on for the last two innings.

Every regular in the game had a hit except Bauer as the pitchers parade from bullpen to mound to bench.

Almost lost in the shuffle of base hits was Cox sensational stop on Bauer's smash over third base with the bases full in the sixth.

Billy knocked down the ball, hit so hard that it spun him around, and then reached out with his hand to tag third just in time to force Woodling.

Play was halted twice when players complained of a mirror flashing in their eyes when they came to the plate. After the game, Stengel said somebody had a mirror in a window about the third floor of an apartment house across the street.

STENGEL NAMED Whitey Ford (18-6), the blond lefty who gave up three runs in the first inning of Saturday's game, to pitch tomorrow at the stadium.

Dressen said he will come back with Erskine (20-6) who fanned 14 Yanks Friday after a sorry effort on opening day.

That probably means that Eddie Lopat of the Yanks and Preacher Roe of the Dodgers, two veteran left-handers who met in the second game, will get the assignments in the seventh game, if needed.

Meyer said the pitch Mantle hit was "one of my best pitches. I fed him a low overhand curve, a beauty."

Mantle's bases-loaded homer, incidentally, was the fourth hit in series play, three by Yankees since Elmer Smith of Cleveland belted one against Brooklyn in 1920.

The Dodgers, Hodges in particular, blamed their own errors for their defeat.

"I just muffed it," he said. "It was an easy play. I should have had it."

Mississippi State, 21-6 victor over North Texas State, and Louisiana State, 42-6 winner over Boston college, jockeyed for positions nearer to the top of the Southern ladder.

DIXIE WAS the scene of other surprises too. Underdog Cincinnati pulverized William and Mary's giant-slayers 57-7. Kentucky stunned Florida 26-13. South Carolina upended Virginia 19-0. Wake Forest downed Villanova 18-12 and Rutgers topped Virginia Tech 20-13.

Southwest teams stood out in non-conference combat as Rice overpowered Cornell 28-7 and Texas stopped Houston by the same score to add to the impressive efforts of Baylor, Texas A&M and SMU.

But back home Arkansas did the unexpected by downing Texas Christian 13-6.

In other games Kansas State shocked Nebraska 27-0 for its first Big Seven victory since 1949. Kansas defeated Iowa State 23-0. Missouri topped Colorado 27-16. Navy overwhelmed Dartmouth 55-7. Holy Cross handled Colgate 19-6. Washington blanked Oregon State 28-0.

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OLD COLLEGE TRY—Billy Cox, Brooklyn third baseman, makes a leaping attempt to grab a Yankee hit in yesterday's game won by the American league team, 11-7. Cox didn't spear this one but earlier in the third inning he made one of the most outstanding plays of the Series on a hot smash just inside third base by Hank Bauer to end a Yankee threat.

YANKS NEARING NO. 5

NEW YORK (A)	BROOKLYN (N)
ABRHOA	ABRHOA
Woodling, lf.....3 1 1 2 1	Gilliam, 2b.....4 2 2 4 3
Collins, 1b.....5 2 1 6 2	Reese, ss.....5 0 1 0 1
Bauer, rf.....3 1 0 1 0	Snider, cf.....5 0 2 3 0
Berra, c.....4 2 2 6 0	Robinson, lf.....5 1 1 0 0
Mantle, cf.....5 1 1 2 0	Campanella, c.....4 2 3 8 3
Martin, 2b.....5 1 2 3 1	Hodges, 1b.....4 0 2 11 1
McDougal, 3b.....5 1 2 0 1	Furillo, rf.....4 1 1 0 0
Rizzuto, ss.....3 2 1 4 6	Cox, 3b.....4 1 1 1 4
McDonald, p.....2 0 1 3 0	Podres, p.....1 0 1 0 1
Kuzava, p.....1 0 0 0 0	Meyer, p.....1 0 0 0 1
Reynolds, p.....0 0 0 0 0	a-Belardi.....1 0 0 0 0
	Wade, p.....0 0 0 0 0
	b-Shuba.....0 0 0 0 0
	c-Williams.....1 0 0 0 0
	Black, p.....0 0 0 0 0
Totals.....36 11 11 27 1	Totals.....39 7 14 27 14

a-Grounded out for Meyer in 7th.

b-Announced as batter for Wade in 8th

c-Struck out for Shuba in 8th.

NEW YORK (A).....1 0 5 0 0 0 3 1 1-11

BROOKLYN (N).....0 1 0 0 1 0 0 4 1-7

E—Rizzuto, Hodges. RBI—Woodling, Mantle 4, Snider, Martin 2, McDonald, Berra, Furillo, Cox 3, McDougal, Gilliam, 2B—McDonald, Collins, 3B—McDougal, HR—Woodling, Mantle, Martin, Cox, McDougal, Gilliam, RB—Rizzuto, S—McDonald, Bauer, DP—Woodling and Berra; Rizzuto and Collins; Martin, Rizzuto and Collins. Left—New York 7, Brooklyn 6. BB—Podres 2 (Rizzuto, Berra), Meyer 4 (McDonald, Woodling 2, Rizzuto).

SO—Meyer 5 (McDougal, Collins, Bauer, Mantle, McDonald) Black 2 (Martin, Kuzava), McDonald 3 (Snider, Meyer, Hodges), Kuzava 1 (Williams). HO—Podres 1 in 2/3, Meyer 8 in 4 1/3, Wade 1 in 1, Black 1 in 1, McDonald 12 in 7 2/3, Kuzava 2 in 2/3, Reynolds 0 in 2/3. R—ER—Podres 5-1, Meyer 4-3, Wade 1-1, Black 1-1, McDonald 6-5, Kuzava 1-1, Reynolds 0-0. HBP—By Podres (Bauer), By McDonald (Gilliam). W—McDonald. L—Podres.

U—Bill Grieve (AL) plate, Bill Stewart (NL) first base, Ed Hryley (AL) second base, Art Gore (NL) third base, Hank Soar (AL) left field, Frank Dascoli (NL) right field. T—3:02. A—36,775 (paid). Receipts (net)—\$214,394.33.

Dodgers Dejected After Losing Pivotal Game to World Champs

BROOKLYN, Oct. 4 (AP)—The dejected Dodgers blamed two king-sized mistakes for their 11-7 shellacking at the hands of the New York Yankees today in the pivotal fifth game of the World Series.

The first one was Gil Hodges' muffed of Joe Collins' grounder in the third inning which opened the dikes for five unearned Yankee runs.

"I just muffed it, that's all," said the mild-mannered Brooklyn first baseman in the glum dressing quarters afterwards. "It was an easy play. I should have had it."

The other Giant Dodger mistake, an error in judgment, was in trying to outguess Mickey Mantle, phlegmatic golden boy of the world champions.

Mickey caught hold of a Russ Meyer curve ball and planted it into the upstairs left centerfield tier for the fourth grand slam home run in the World Series' 50-year history.

"It was one of my best pitches," said Meyer, who had just relieved for the Series started. It was a rookie John Podres in the third good move and I would do the and who received this thunderous same thing over again.

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Big Mystery

Mirror Instead of 3d Series Victory Main Topic in Yanks Dressing Room

BROOKLYN, Oct. 4 (AP)—The fifth game of the 1953 World Series produced today a baffling baseball mystery.

Who flashed the mirror from the apartment building on Bedford avenue into the eyes of New York Yankee and Brooklyn Dodger batters?

"Somebody had it in a window about on the third floor," said manager Casey Stengel of the Yankees.

"He always came up with it when a guy was swinging. It looked like a big mirror. He was doing it to both teams. It bothered the umpires, too."

At one point play was held up while the umpires huddled. From the press box it appeared that the difficulty came from the center-field bleachers.

The right field fence of Ebbets field borders Bedford avenue. The apartments are about 500 feet from home plate.

"MUSTA BEEN an ex-pitcher, if he didn't like batters," someone wisecracked.

Whatever it was the effect on the hitting was hardly dampening, as this wild and woolly Sunday game produced six home runs, a triple, and two doubles.

The fact the Yankees were as interested in the mystery of the mirror as anything else indicates the high mood of the dressing room. The feeling seemed to be universal that the pivot game of the Series had been won.

The Yankees paraded from their dugout to the dressing quarters in what for them was an unusual show of emotion.

Shamrocks Win, 12-0

The Shamrocks downed the Philadelphia Boys Protective school yesterday, 12-0, in a game played at Valley Forge.

The 'Rocks first tally game in the first period on a 17-yard td jaunt by George Carter. Jim Hallman's try for the extra point was no good.

The Shamrocks held the Boy's school on the 'Rocks five for four downs. Then a Shamrock punt and a Boy's school fumble moved the Shamrocks up to their own 40, from which they moved to the Philly 25, where a pass from Bob Weiser to Bill Brown accounted for the second td. Hallman's kick was off again.

Another td by Tom Rhoads was nullified by a penalty in the last period.

"After all, the kid had pitched 13 innings against the Yankees in exhibition games and hadn't give up a run. He's the kind of pitcher who goes well against them."

"He wasn't nervous at all. But he was a bit wild and when that error by Hodges came in the third inning I decided he might get rattled. So I yanked him and put in an older hand."

DRESSEN ANNOUNCED that his choice tomorrow is the curvballing Hoosier, Carl Erskine, who set a strikeout record of 14 in whipping the Yankees in the third game of the series.

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Several Departments Get New Equipment, General Renovating

Well, school is in operation again after three summer months of pupil inactivity. Many changes have taken place in and around the building. Have you noticed them? If not, here they are:

The home economics room is equipped with two new electric ranges and a new electric mixer and juicer. Six new typewriters, an electric adding machine and a liquid duplicator have been added for the use of commercial pupils. The shop has been painted and a new tool closet provided. Redecorating and a backstage cyclorama improved the appearance of the stage in the auditorium.

Fresh paint was applied to the boys' and girls' locker rooms, shower room, the lower corridor, the boiler room, exteriors of outside doors, outdoor bleachers and all playground equipment. Landscaping improved the appearance of the school grounds; the land surrounding the parking lot has been seeded and the driveway macadamized.

When basketball season rolls around, three portable bleachers will be installed in the gym. The new bleachers are now on order and should arrive in ample time for the opening of the basketball season.

Officers Are Named By Teachers' Group

The first meeting of West Pottsgrove Teachers' association for the current year was held in September.

Mr. Walter Trout, retiring president, called the meeting to order after which the nominating committee made a report.

Members voted and elected the following officers for the new term: President, Mrs. Anne Wentzel; vice president, Mr. Charles Kazmerovitz; secretary, Mrs. Beatrice Koppenhaver; treasurer, Mrs. Celia Haines.

West Pottsgrove Faculty Holds Picnic at Area Park

Members of the faculty of West Pottsgrove township enjoy an afternoon of recreation and relaxation at a picnic during September in Montgomery County Park.

Committees were as follows: Refreshments—Mrs. Schaefer, Mrs. Bolinsky, Mrs. Koppenhaver. Recreation—Miss Nein, Miss Lieberman; clean-up—Mr. Kazmerovitz, Mr. Trout, Mr. Gress.

Mayor, Council Cowed

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Oct. 4 (AP)—For years it's been against the law to park on the streets here between midnight and 6 a. m. The idea was to help the street sweepers, but no one paid any attention.

Suddenly the police started enforcing the law. Parked cars were towed to a garage. Then, the howls went up.

The mayor and councilmen stood it for six weeks. Then, they repealed the law.

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West Pottsgrove High Senior Class To Present Its Annual Play Oct. 15

At 8 p. m. Thursday, Oct. 15, members of the Senior class will present their annual play in the auditorium of West Pottsgrove Township High School.

The play, "The Dizzy Dillons," written by Barry Heenan, is a farce-comedy in three acts.

The cast is as follows: June Babcock, a 16-year-old girl who is always changing her name—Joan Polischeck; Will Babcock, a lazy, gangling young man of 17—Paul Yarmush; Laura Babcock, a mother in her 40s—Joan Egolf; Joe Babcock, Laura's husband who is always acting like a big shot business man—Dale Wert.

Polly Dillon, a 17-year-old girl—Dorothy Reider; Richard Dillon, Polly Dillon's twin brother—George Polins; Dolly Dillon, an attractive and energetic girl of 16—Peggy Edwards.

wards; Peggy Holden, an adventurous girl of 16—Helen Abrams.

Dora Townsend, a 17-year-old girl—Dolores Birard; Ella Townsend, president of the town's Ladies' league—Yvonne Soltes;

Mrs. Wesley, a short little woman—Marlene Lenhardt; Charles Townsend, the town's big business man—Dick Levengood.

The public is invited to see the play.

MAN KILLED IN CRASH

PHILIPSBURG, Oct. 4 (AP)—Andrew Bogi of Grassflat was killed last night when his auto plunged off an embankment on a rural road near here. His wife, Anna, 28, and two sons, James, 7, and David, 3, were admitted to a hospital in serious condition.

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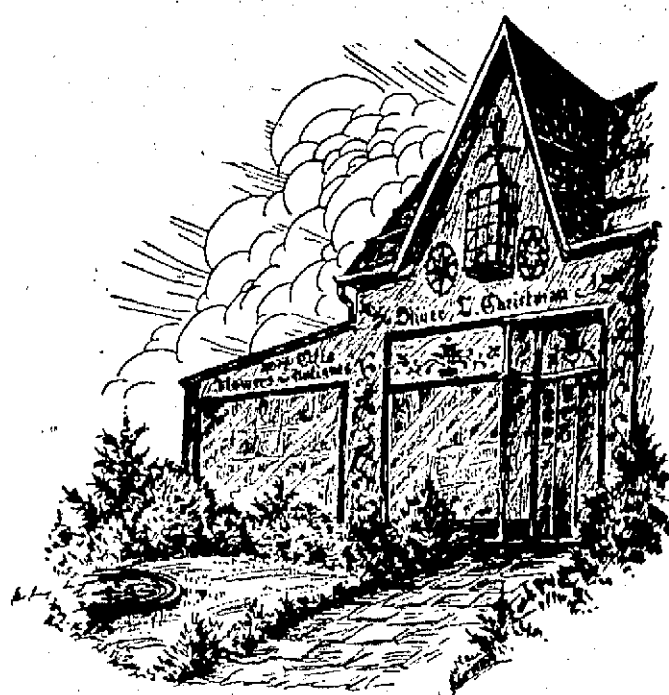
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Pupils Choose Their Class Officers

The following class officers were selected in each grade:

Eleventh: president, Nelson Levengood; vice president, Frank Gambino; secretary, Marie Plasco; treasurer, Darlene Bauer.

Tenth: president, Patricia Polastre; vice president, Lucille Tufani; secretary, Nancy Geyer; treasurer, Doris Derrick.

Ninth: president, Joanne Geisler; vice president, Kenneth Sekelick; secretary, Janice Weaver; treasurer, Edward Short.

Eighth: president, William Slaby; vice president, Douglas Brunner;

secretary, Barbara Christman; treasurer, Charles Levengood.

Seventh: president, Robert Baisle; vice president, Wynona Elson; secretary, Elaine Krigolo; treasurer, Geraldine Harp.

WOMAN DIES AT GAME

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 4 (AP)—Valerian S. Gutowski, 46, Beaver Falls, suffered a heart attack and died at Forbes field last night just before the end of the National Football league game in which the Pittsburgh Steelers triumphed over the New York Giants, 24-14.

Two State Troopers Receive Promotions

HARRISBURG, Oct. 4 (AP)—State Police Lt. James F. Maroney, Greensburg, and Frank Milligan, Erie, have been promoted to the rank of captain.

In announcing the promotions, Col. C. M. Wilhelm, State police commissioner, said Maroney will be reassigned to Washington, Pa., but will remain temporarily on assigned duty at the Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh. Milligan, he said, will continue as commanding officer at Erie.

Race Track Hearing Postponed 'Few Days'

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Oct. 4 (AP)—Judge Harry E. Watkins, postponed "for a few days" decision on whether Wheeling Downs Race track may hold a 21-day meeting beginning Nov. 5.

Watkins announced his decision after a conference with William G. Lias, track manager; Carl O. Schmidt, track receiver, and David Goldberg, track auditor.

The State Racing commission has granted permission for the meeting. Track officers told the

judge they might lose the dates in the future if they were not fulfilled this fall.

Watkins' approval is required because the track now is in Federal hands, pending the decision on the government's tax lien against Lias.

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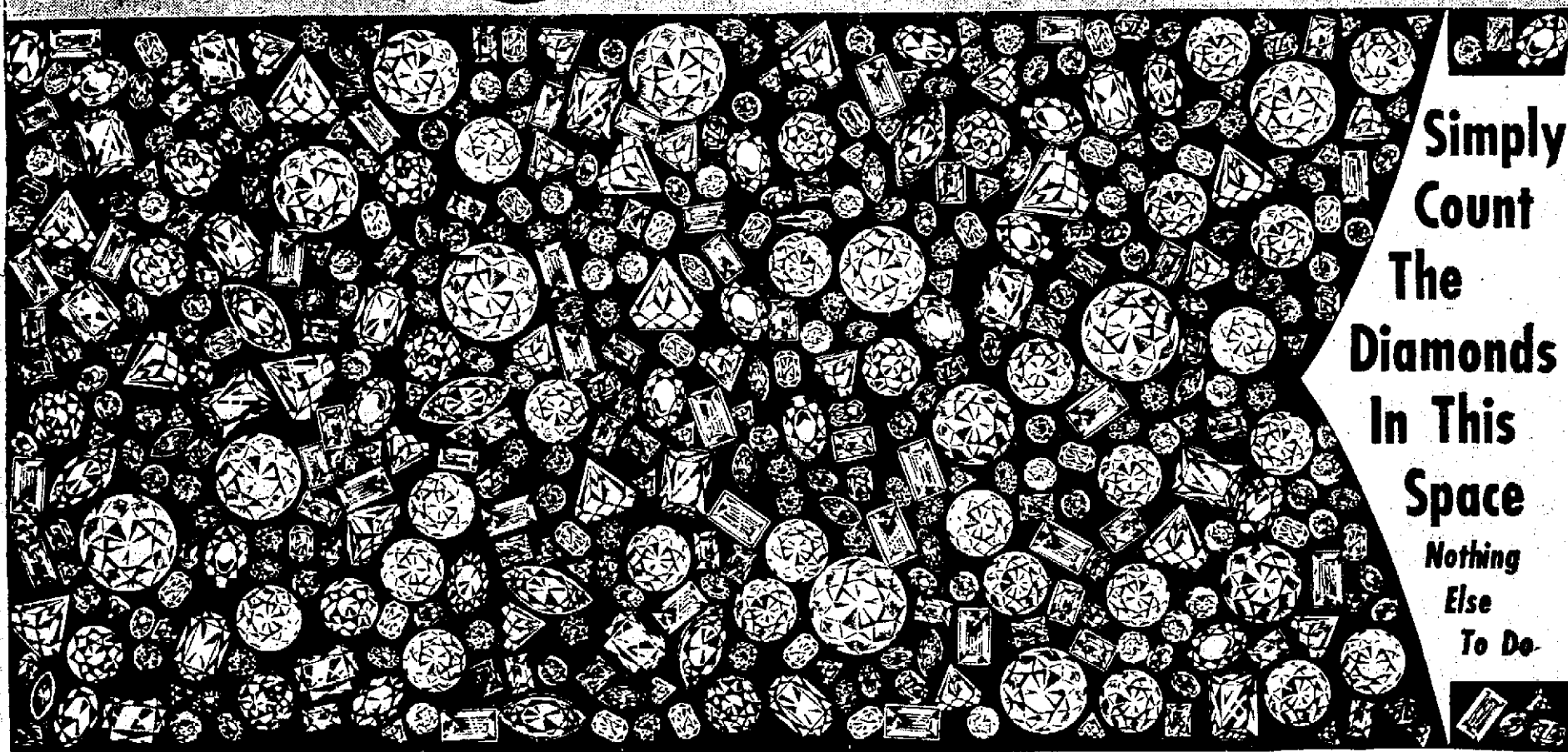
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Fire Company Group Also Maps Plans For Future

Members of the Gilbertsville Fire company ladies auxiliary enjoyed their annual Halloween party held in the fire hall, with many prizes awarded.

The various categories and winners were as follows: Prettiest single person, Mrs. Marian Buchak; prettiest couple, Mrs. Eleanor Trullinger and Mrs. Lloise Schwebel; funniest single person, Mrs. June Mullen; funniest couple, Mrs. Beulah Heiny and Susan Heiny; fattest single person, Mrs. Helen W. Geiger; fattest couple, Mrs. Irene Campbell and Mrs. Doroth Blank.

The ugliest person, Mrs. Janette Nester; most original, Mrs. Helen O. Geiger. Two pig-in-box awards were made to Mrs. Carrie Fryer and Mrs. Jane Mattern.

During the business session, in charge of the president, Mrs. Eloise Schwebel, the acceptance into the membership of Mrs. Emma Mathias, Gilbertsville RD, was approved.

MRS. SCHWEBEL appointed the following committees for next month's meeting: Entertainment, Mrs. Betty Frey and Mrs. Anna Reinert; refreshment, Mrs. June Mullen, Mrs. Jane Mattern, Mrs. Marie Fegley, Mrs. Helen O. Geiger and Mrs. Eleanor Trullinger. At that meeting, the members will conduct a hat social.

A bus will be leaving from the fire hall on Tuesday, Oct. 20, for Philadelphia where the members will witness a television show. Anyone desiring to make the trip is requested to contact Mrs. Grace Hartensline.

The auxiliary is also making plans to have Tom Moorehead come to Gilbertville to present a special show.

Mrs. Virginia Linsenbiger announced that a merchandise display will be held today from 4 to 9:30 p. m., in the fire hall. She invited all members to witness the display.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Services for JACOB P. DOTTERER, husband of the late Emma M. (Beidler) Dotterer, near Earlville, BOYERTOWN, RD 2, were held from the Schwenk funeral home, 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, Saturday at 3 p. m. Further services were held in Salem Reformed church, Spangville, with the Rev. Earl G. Wolford, pastor, officiating.

Interment was made in the Oley Church cemetery, Spangville.

Bearers were six grandsons, Norman Hess, Kenneth Hess, Lloyd Trate, Ronald Dotterer, Gordon Dotterer and Rowan Fritz.

Lodge Plans Dinner

Many committee members of the Laurel Rebekah Lodge 593 and Independent Order of Odd Fellows Lodge 708, Boyertown, met to make final plans for their third annual turkey dinner.

The event will be held Sunday, Nov. 8, in the Odd Fellows building, 35 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown.

Boyertown Classified

Deaths

ROEBACH—In Reading, on Thursday, Oct. 1, 1953, near 35 Rohrbach, Alburis RD 1, age 73 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schwenk Funeral Home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment in Ruffs Church cemetery. Friends may call on Sunday evening 7 to 9 (Schwenk).

Card of Thanks

DOTTERER

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The team won 12 out of 15 games it played on Brancote field.

In the top row are, left to right, John Roth, Dave Mauger, Joseph Barkel, Fred Gephart, Dick Hornberger, and Ed Mauger (Dave's brother).

In the lower row are, left to right, Sam Yerger, Amos Haws, Baker, who was assistant manager, Earl Kirlin and Bob Mauger (a third brother).

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Local, Area Estates Confirmed by Court

A local and two area estates were among 15 in which President Judge Frederick A. Marx, Orphans' court, Berks county, confirmed the accounts and ordered distribution during the past week.

Irwin H. Gilbert, 132 North Walnut street, Boyertown, had a balance of \$12,413.79 distributed to the National Bank of Boyertown, executor of the estate of Louisa S. Gilbert. H. Leon Breidenbach is the attorney.

Warren H. Gehris, New Berlinville, Colebrookdale township, had a balance of \$18,235.87 distributed as follows: St. John's Evangelical (Hill) Reformed church, \$100; Christ Evangelical and Reformed church, Nanticoke, \$100; Amanda Y. Gehris, in her own right and as assignee of Helen Houck and Robert Houck, \$18,035.87 and real estate appraised at \$4750. H. Leon Breidenbach is the attorney.

Solomon K. DeTurk, Oley, a balance of \$14,628.87 distributed as follows: impounded for tombstones, \$350, and for taxes, \$500; to Annie Hafer, Edna DeTurk and Elsie Hartline, \$3444.72 each, and Eli R. DeTurk, \$3444.71. Thomas W. Leidy is the attorney.

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Church Service Held In 17th Century Inn

LOUTH, England, Oct. 4 (AP)—The Rev. D. E. Davies drank down a pint and then picked up the hymn book at the bar of the 17th century inn, the Wheatsheaf, today.

Customers did the same—and the annual harvest festival service got underway.

"Under our modern conditions," explained the Church of England curate, "Our Lord might have been born in a garage at the back of this inn. His birth near the inn consecrated enjoyment and pleasure. There is probably more friendliness in here than there is outside."

Lois Bannerman To Perform Tonight

When the lovely blond harpist, Lois Bannerman, appears in the Boyertown Joint High school auditorium tonight, a new experience—a harp recital—will greet the majority of those who attend.

Most communities where Miss Bannerman appears demand a re-appearance. Her appearance in Boyertown is under the sponsorship of the Boyertown Area Celebrity Concert association of which Gerald R. Grabert is president.

Grabert stressed last night that only paid memberships may attend.

A Scotsman, Dr. William Cullen, is credited with the invention of the first machine for the manufacture of artificial ice.

Lou Costello Announce Engagement of Daughter

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 4 (AP)—Engagement of the 17-year-old daughter of comedian Lou Costello was announced today.

Mr. and Mrs. Costello disclosed their daughter, Patricia, will marry James Cardinet, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cardinet of nearby Van Nuys.

Mrs. Costello said the couple probably will be wed shortly before Cardinet is released from the Army in about a year. He is stationed at Ft. Ord. Patricia is a Senior at Marymount High school.

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In the remodeling, a complete toy department was established. The Kratz establishment has always been famous for its huge line of toys and this year the stock is greater than ever. American Flyer trains, trucks, wagons, small and large toys of every description are piled to ceiling-height in storage rooms and are being exhibited in this new Toyland department.

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BRICK bungalow, 4 rooms, expansion attic, bath, hardwood floors, hot water oil heat, fire place, many extras. Make offer. No. 1378.

NORTH END—Brick, 7 rooms, bath, hardwood floors, hot water heat, garage, large lot. Perfect condition. No. 1399.

\$8900 buys 3 room home all conveniences. No. 1392.

CHESTER CO. BUNGALOW, 7 rooms, bath, new hot water oil heat, garage, large lot. Extras. \$11,500. No. 1395.

BELLEVILLE OR NOT! \$7250 buys this new 4 room and bath bungalow, expansion attic, large lot. Near Boyertown. No. 1332.

NORTH END—6 room bungalow, bath, powder room, hot water oil heat, 2-car garage, beautiful landscaped lot. No. 1328.

CLOSE TO TOWN—New Brick Cape Cod bungalow, 3 large bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, bath and powder room. H. W. floors, H. W. heat, attached garage. No. 1325.

NEW STONE AND MASONRY ranch type, 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, tile bath, H. W. floors, H. A. gas fired heat. P. H. A. financing. No. 1345.

OWNER MOVING TO PHILADELPHIA—3 large brick 4 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, tile bath, 2-car garage, work shop, hot water oil heat, gas fired, outside patio, many extras. Must be seen to be appreciated. No. 1319.

A HOME YOU'LL BE PROUD TO OWN—North End, beautiful pointed stone home, 6 large rooms, bath, fireplace, oil heat, attached garage. Nicely landscaped lot. No. 1332.

OLD STONE—6 rooms, partial conveniences. \$7,000. No. 1366.

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D. D. KENNEDY has consigned one extra good load of BUTLER CO. DAIRY COWS, most of these are HOLSTEINS, fresh, and close springers and milkers.

GERALD PARSONS will have one load of DAIRY COWS, fresh, close springers and milkers.

HOG SALE will be at 1:00 P. M. NOTICE THE BRANDYWINE ABERDEEN ANGUS ASSOCIATION WILL CONDUCT A SALE ON THESE PRERISES SATURDAY, OCT. 10, 1953 at 1:00 P. M.

OUR ANNUAL DAIRY COW SHOW AND SALE WILL BE HELD WEDNESDAY, OCT. 21, 1953.

THURSDAY, OCT. 8, 1953 at 12:30 P. M. Sale of FAT BULLS, STEERS, HEIFERS, BUTCHER COWS and VEAL CALVES.

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AUCTION SALE Wednesday evening, Oct. 7, at the So. Pottstown Auction House, W. Main St., So. Pottstown at 7 P. M.

We will have a good lot of furniture and dishes consigned to us for this sale as follows: Several very good bedroom suites, 4 living room suites, breakfast set, 2 piece dinette suite, pull-up chairs, occasional chairs, rocking chairs, roll-top desk and office chair, gas stoves, enamel cook stoves and heaters, single and double bed metal utility cabinets, new metal kitchen cabinets, new hanging mirrors, electric refrigerators, lot of antique dishes, 1/2 h. p. electric motor, kitchen sinks and numerous other articles.

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Several Departments Get New Equipment, General Renovating

Well, school is in operation again after three summer months of pupil inactivity. Many changes have taken place in and around the building. Have you noticed them? If not, here they are:

The home economics room is equipped with two new electric ranges and a new electric mixer and juicer. Six new typewriters and electric adding machine and a liquid duplicator have been added for the use of commercial pupils. The shop has been painted and a new tool closet provided. Redecorating and a backstage cyclorama improved the appearance of the stage in the auditorium.

Fresh paint was applied to the boys' and girls' locker rooms, shower room, the lower corridor, the boiler room, exteriors of outside doors, outdoor bleachers and all playground equipment. Landscaping improved the appearance of the school grounds; the land surrounding the parking lot has been seeded and the driveway macadamized.

When basketball season rolls around, three portable bleachers will be installed in the gym. The new bleachers are now on order and should arrive in ample time for the opening of the basketball season.

Officers Are Named By Teachers' Group

The first meeting of West Pottsgrove Teachers association for the current year was held in September.

Mr. Walter Trout, retiring president, called the meeting to order after which the nominating committee made a report.

Members voted and elected the following officers for the new term: President, Mrs. Anne Wentzel; vice president, Mr. Charles Kazmerovitz, secretary, Mrs. Beatrice Koppenhaver; treasurer, Mrs. Celia Haines.

West Pottsgrove Faculty Holds Picnic at Area Park

Members of the faculty of West Pottsgrove township enjoy an afternoon of recreation and relaxation at a picnic during September in Montgomery County park.

Committees were as follows. Refreshments—Mrs. Schaefer, Mrs. Bohinsky, Mrs. Koppenhaver. Recreation—Miss Nein, Miss Lieberman; clean-up—Mr. Kazmerovitz, Mr. Trout, Mr. Gress.

Mayor, Council Cowed

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Oct. 4 (AP)—For years it's been against the law to park on the streets here between midnight and 6 a. m. The idea was to help the street sweepers, but no one paid any attention. Suddenly the police started enforcing the law. Parked cars were towed to a garage. Then, the howls went up.

The mayor and councilmen stood it for six weeks. Then, they repealed the law.

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SCHOOL DAYS

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West Pottsgrove High Senior Class To Present Its Annual Play Oct. 15

At 8 p. m. Thursday, Oct. 15, members of the Senior class will present their annual play in the auditorium of West Pottsgrove Township High school.

The play, "The Dizzy Dillons," written by Barry Heenan, is a farce-comedy in three acts.

The cast is as follows: June Babcock, a 16-year-old girl who is always changing her name—Joan Polischek; Will Babcock, a lazy, gangling young man of 17—Paul Yarmush; Laura Babcock, a mother in her 40s—Joan Egolf; Joe Babcock, Laura's husband who is always acting like a big shot business man—Dale Wert.

Polly Dillon, a 17-year-old girl—Dorothy Reider; Richard Dillon, Polly Dillon's twin brother—George Potlins; Dotty Dillon, an attractive and energetic girl of 16—Peggy Edwards; Peggy Holden, an adventurous girl of 16—Helen Abrams.

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Pupils Choose Their Class Officers

The following class officers were selected in each grade:

Eleventh: president, Nelson Levengood; vice president, Frank Gambino; secretary, Marie Plasco; treasurer, Darlene Bauer.

Tenth: president, Patricia Poastre; vice president, Lucille Tufant; secretary, Nancy Geyer; treasurer, Doris Derrick.

Ninth: president, Joanne Geisler; vice president, Kenneth Sekelick; secretary, Janice Weaver; treasurer, Edward Short.

Eighth: president, William Slaby; vice president, Douglas Brunner;

secretary, Barbara Christman; treasurer, Charles Levengood.

Seventh: president, Robert Bagnile; vice president, Wynona Elson; secretary, Elaine Krigolo; treasurer, Geraldine Harp.

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First: president, Robert Bagnile; vice president, Wynona Elson; secretary, Elaine Krigolo; treasurer, Geraldine Harp.

Two State Troopers Receive Promotions

HARRISBURG, Oct. 4 (AP)—State Police Lt. James F. Maroney, Greensburg, and Frank Milligan, Erie, have been promoted to the rank of captain.

In announcing the promotions, Commissioner, said Maroney will be reassigned to Washington, Pa., but will remain temporarily on duty at the Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh.

Col. C. M. Wilhelm, State police commissioner, said Maroney will be reassigned to Washington, Pa., but will remain temporarily on duty at the Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh.

gan, he said, will continue as commanding officer at Erie.

Race Track Hearing Postponed 'Few Days'

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Oct. 4 (AP)—Judge Harry E. Watkins, postponed "for a few days" decision on whether Wheeling Downs Race track may hold a 21-day meeting beginning Nov. 5.

Watkins announced his decision after a conference with William G. Lias, track manager, Carl O. Schmidt, track receiver, and David Goldberg, track auditor.

The State Racing commission has granted permission for the meeting. Track officers told the

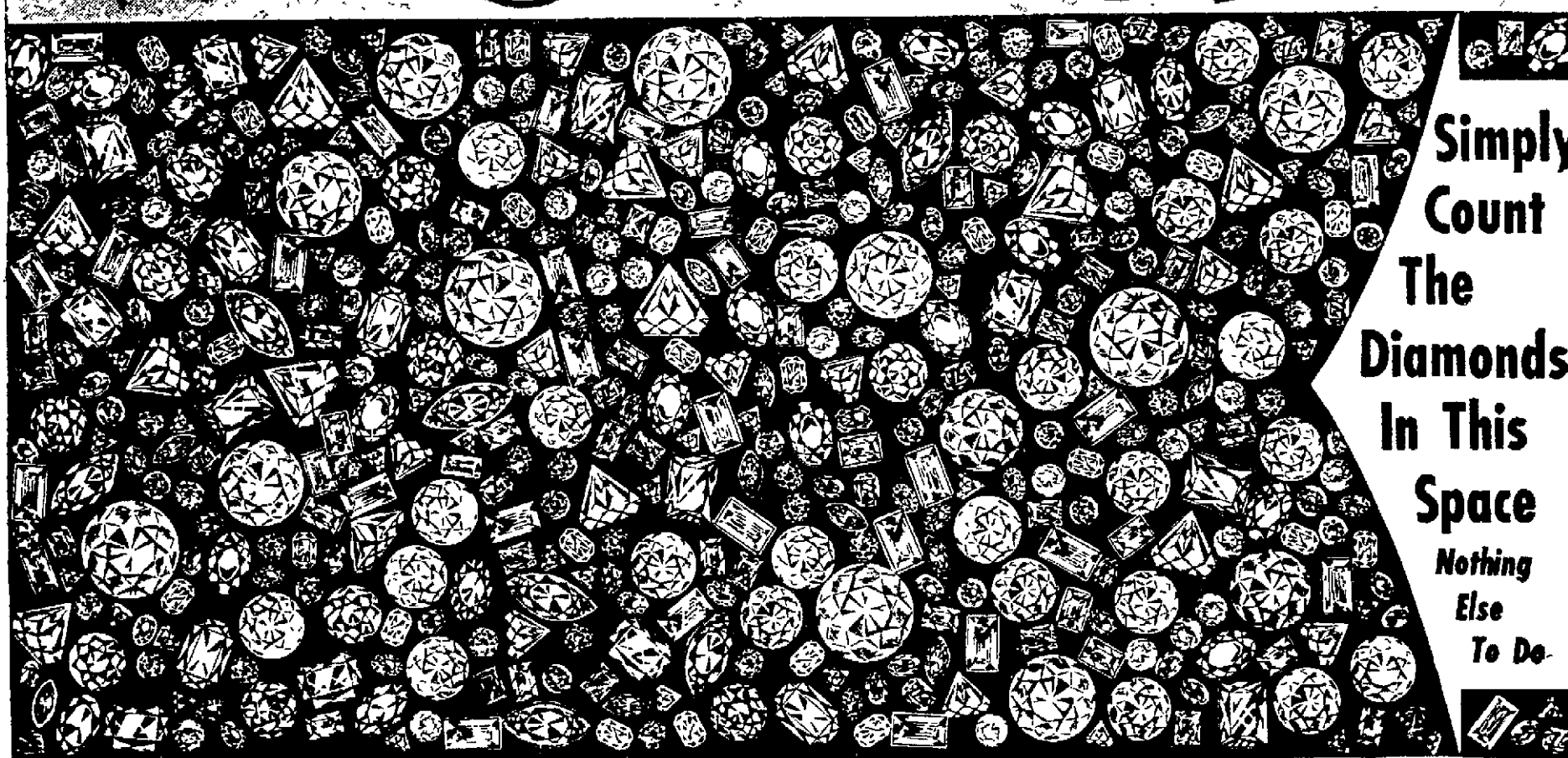
judge they might lose the dates in the future if they were not fulfilled this fall.

Watkins' approval is required because the track now is in Federal hands, pending the decision on the government's tax lien against Lias.

EDEN RETURNS TO POST LONDON, Oct. 4 (AP)—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden takes over the British foreign office tomorrow after six months' absence because of illness.

Two-thirds of the residents of Mississippi derive their living from the soil.

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Obituaries

ADELLA J. PORTER, 85, 447 1/2 BEECH STREET, sister of Dr. J. Elmer Porter and Samuel H. Porter, died yesterday morning at her home after being ill for the past six months.

She was born at Porters Mill, Chester county, and lived there all her life until five years ago when she moved to the Beech street address.

She was a daughter of the late Samuel H. and Elizabeth (Green-off) Porter.

Her brother Dr. J. Elmer Porter, lives at 344 High street. Samuel H. lives at 547 High street.

She was a member of Brownbach's Evangelical and Reformed church and was a former teacher at the church Sunday school.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday from the Wilson Funeral home, 711 North Franklin street, with the Rev. Lloyd Sandt, former pastor of Brownbach's church and at present pastor of St. James Evangelical and Reformed church, Allentown, officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

EDWIN I. SWOYER, 79, POTTSTOWN RD 2, husband of the late Ida (Batz) Swoyer, died in Emoryville hospital, Chester county, yesterday morning at 4:45 o'clock.

He had been ill since the past February. Born in Berks county, he was the son of the late Harry and Catherine (Albright) Swoyer.

He lived at his present address for the past 38 years and in this area all of his life. He was a retired puddler and also farmed the greater part of his life.

He was a member of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, South Pottstown.

He leaves four daughters, Elsie, wife of William H. Beekley, 307 Elm street, South Pottstown; Mabel, wife of Clayton Ingram, Han-

over Heights; Edna Swoyer, California; and Sarah Swoyer, Philadelphia.

Two sons, Lloyd, California, and Warren, Reading; nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He was the last of his immediate family.

Funeral services will be from the Houck Funeral home, 112 North Washington street, Wednesday at 2 p. m., with the Rev. George F. Eichorn, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church, officiating. Interment will be in the New Hanover Lutheran cemetery.

MRS. NORA (YOST) PEARSON, widow of William O. Pearson, died Friday night at her home, 1530 MAIN STREET, TRAPPE.

Mrs. Pearson was a member of the Augustus Lutheran church, Trappe. She was born in Baltimore, Md.

Survivors include two daughters, Edna Eakin and Marie Vivian Pearson, both at home, and one granddaughter.

Funeral services will be held privately tomorrow from the late home. The Rev. Kenneth Sharp, pastor of Augustus Lutheran church, and the Rev. Paul L. Yount, a former supply pastor, will officiate. Interment will be in charge of the Franks funeral home, Trappe.

Funeral services for **MARY A. FRITZ**, widow of John Fritz Sr., will be held Saturday from her late residence at POTTSTOWN LANDING. Requiem high mass was celebrated at 9 a. m. at St. John's Greek Catholic church by the Rev. John Tapchik, pastor.

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Interment will be in Highland Memorial park.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths 1

SAYLOR — In Schwenksville on Wednesday, Sept. 30, 1953, George Washington, husband of Minnie (Noll) Saylor, age 73 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schumacher Funeral Home, 359 King St., on Monday at 2 p. m. Officiating is the Rev. William C. Leopold, Interment in Schwenksville cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday evening 7 to 8:30. (Schumacher)

SWOYER — On Sunday, Oct. 4, 1953, Edwin I. Swoyer, aged 79 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Houck Funeral Home, 112 N. Washington St., on Wednesday, Oct. 7 at 2 p. m. Interment in New Hanover Lutheran cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Tuesday evening, 7 to 8:30. (Houck)

LEVENGOOD — On Friday, Oct. 2, 1953, Eva (Boalton), wife of L. Herman Levengood, aged 79 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the services from the Houck Funeral Home, 112 N. Washington St., on Tuesday, Oct. 6 at 2 p. m. Interment in Mt. Zion cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Monday evening, 7 to 9. (Houck)

PORTER — On Sunday, Oct. 4, 1953, Adella J. Porter, of 447 1/2 Beech St., age 85 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Wilson Funeral Home, 711 N. Franklin St., on Thursday, Oct. 8, 1953 at 2 p. m. Interment in Brownbach's Reformed Church cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday evening, 7 to 8:30. (Wilson)

DILG — On Friday, Oct. 2, 1953, Anna (Pidgeon) Dilg, wife of the late Leon C. Dilg, age 82 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Halsey Funeral Home, 404 High St., on Tuesday, Oct. 6, 1953 at 11 a. m. Interment in Fernwood cemetery, Philadelphia. Friends may call at the funeral home Monday evening, 7-8:30. (Harley)

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Card of Thanks 2

FRITZ — The family of the late Mary A. Fritz desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy, floral tributes, spiritual bouquets, and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

In Memoriam 3

KUTERBACH — In loving memory of a dear niece, Adele C. Kuterbach, on the anniversary of her birthday, October 4. Memories drift to scenes long past. Time rolls on but memories last. Loving thoughts, a secret tear. Keep her memory ever dear.

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The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids shall be in the hands of the Secretary by 8:00 P. M. E.S.T., Monday, October 5, 1953, to 11:00 P. M. E.S.T., Tuesday, October 6, 1953.

LINFORD F. MOYER, Secretary.

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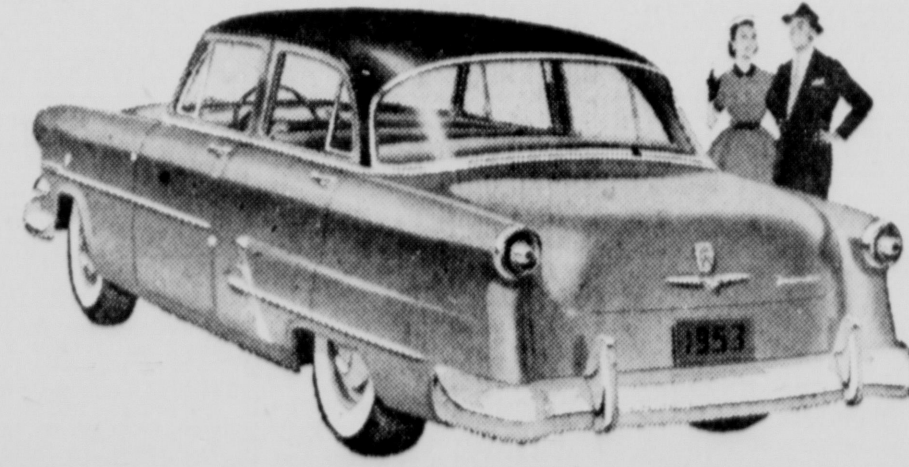
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